WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains low over this Province and mild weather extends from the Coast to Manitoba.

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WORLD POWERS CONSIDER PACT TO OUTLAW WAR

GALE RAGES ON PACIFIC WEST COAST

Schooner Kruse, 112 Days Out From Australia, Is in Serious Condition—Food Exhausted

MAY BE TRYING TO MAKE PUGET SOUND

Half Vessel's Sails Carried Away in Recent Storms —Tug Unable to Bring Vessel In

PORTLAND, March 31—The storm king still ruled on the Pacific Coast tonight. The windjammers, their crews aboard, were riding out the abating fury of the fierce gale that for three days has swept the Pacific.

The Helen B. Sterling, a six-masted schooner, was riding easier off Hecata Head with members of the coastguard station at the mouth of the Siuslaw River standing by in a power boat ready to take the ship's company of twelve off should need arise.

The other gale-lashed craft was the K. V. Kruse, four-masted schooner, 112 days out of Australia, somewhere off the mouth of the Columbia River and believed headed north for Puget Sound. The Kruse was reported this morning off Willapa Harbor and sailing north, by the Dutch motorship Dinteldyk, chartered the river later.

Efforts of a tug to bring the vessel into the Columbia last night proved unavailing in the face of the gale and seas.

WITHOUT FOOD

The tug, however, managed to place a small quantity of provisions aboard the vessel for the crew, which had been without food for two days.

It was believed that Captain William Wayne, with some provisions aboard, decided to run before the gale, and take chances on entering Puget Sound.

Half of the vessel's sails were reported to have been carried away during recent gales.

Unless the Kruse gets into port quickly, it was believed her crew will be in a serious condition. They had been on short rations for over a week before their provisions ran out entirely on Wednesday. The Helen B. Sterling was believed to have lost most of her stanchions, her rudder, a mast and half her canvas, but riding at anchor, though immense waves still pounded at her sides.

Night Clerk Falls Down Elevator Shaft

VANCOUVER, March 31—Fred Moore, night clerk at the Central City Mission, Abbot Street, died tonight in the Vancouver General Hospital from injuries received when when he fell down the elevator shaft at the mission on March 23.

From the Colonist Tower

Sunday, April 1

92nd Day, 1928

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh south winds, partly cloudy, and mild, with showers.

Sun Rises: 5:54 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 6:40 o'clock.

High Tide: 3:10 a.m., 8.4 feet.
Low Tide: 6:52 p.m., 3.2 feet.

Sport

Montreal Maroons and Canadiens battle to draw in first game of play-offs for Canadian Section championship. Many penalties handed. Thousands see teams in action.

Tom Heeney selected to oppose Gene Tunney in heavyweight title bout in July. London may get bout.

Cambridge University defeats Oxford oarsmen by ten lengths in annual boat race on Thames.

Esquimalt downs Victoria City in Jackson Cup opener. Victoria Wests triumph over Five C's in overtime Peden Cup battle.

Earl Combs places trouble with New York Yankees at "loafing." Says players will have to pull themselves together.

Scotland wins international soccer from England.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Bank clearings for Victoria show steady advance.
Visitor here files to Vancouver to attend wedding.
Lee Lim to appeal from conviction on attempt to murder charge.
Dean Brock predicts population of 30,000,000 in British Columbia within lifetime of some now born.
Visitors not to be required to make deposits for golf clubs.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
France replies to United States, agreeing to world treaty to outlaw war.
German Parliament dissolved.
Sir Robert Horne speaks in Vancouver.

To Begin Search For Explorer in Wilds of Brazil

By COMMANDER GEORGE M. DYOTT
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RIO JANEIRO, March 30.—All is now arranged for me to strike into the interior in my search for the lost explorer, Colonel P. H. Fawcett. I have learned the customs and I have the moral support of the Brazilian Government, which has been most fair and generous towards me and my party. President Washington Luis has granted me a special railway transport, and has directed the local officials to help. On Monday we leave for Sao Paulo and will remain there five days before starting our railway journey to the Paraguay River. Within three weeks we should reach Cuyaba, whence we penetrate directly into that mysterious country which holds the secret of Fawcett and his expedition. We are all well and confident of success.

EX-CHANCELLOR ON MIGRATION

Sir Robert Horne Addresses Vancouver Audience —Would Send Out Youths Leaving School

NAVAL BUILDING ALSO DISCUSSED

VANCOUVER, March 31—No sane person wished to see Great Britain enter into a naval shipbuilding competition with the United States, principally for the reason that Great Britain could not hope to cope with the United States and all the gold that country had accumulated since the war, Sir Robert Horne, Chancellor of the Exchequer in the Lloyd George Government, told the Canadian Club here today.

"With the greatest burden of debt which has ever confronted us no chancellor of the exchequer would hold his position who would be so mad as to suggest a naval race with America," he declared. Sir Robert said there was a certain amount of apprehension in both the United States and Great Britain about the naval situation. Great Britain, he said, wished a smaller type of cruiser and the United States a larger one. The reason for this was that the United States had fewer fueling bases and therefore wished cruisers of longer cruising range.

"The truth is that we have so many overseas possessions that it is our bounden duty to protect them. We would be false to our trust if we did not."

TIMES IN BRITAIN

Dealing with the economic conditions in Great Britain, Sir Robert said that on their face the figures of our export and import trade do not indicate a very promising position, but, fortunately they do not tell nearly the whole story. There are certain great intangible sources of income not revealed in trade figures. Shipping still brings us tremendous annual revenue, and London still remains the great exchange centre of the world.

"Britain is giving employment to more persons today than before the war, despite the large number of unemployed. Lack of employment today is due to the decline of emigration rather than to commercial depression. Emigration from the Old Land has declined very much.

"I am not one of those who believe that the redistribution of the Empire's population should be settled by the migration of a vast number of our unemployed to the Dominions. I believe the Dominions have a perfect right to decide upon the fitness and training of those who seek admission. I believe that Great Britain will have to be prepared to carry her present burden of surplus population until the end of the present generation.

"But you do need men. You need young men. I am in favor of the migration of the young. I believe there should be some sort of draft of the boys leaving school, for migration, those between the ages of seventeen and nineteen. They are young enough to be readily assimilable and I know that you want your immigrants to become good Canadian citizens."

SOVIET RAILWAY FAILS TO WORK

Thousands of Loaded Grain Cars Held Up at Vladivostok—Officials Helpless

HARBIN, March 31.—Thousands of loaded cars standing motionless in the yards of the Ussuri Railway at Vladivostok port, officials helpless to cope with the accumulation of freight, Manchurian exporters suffering heavy losses, the Chinese Eastern Railway drained of its supply of rolling stock—these are the results of this year's efforts on the part of the Chinese Eastern Railway to divert the bulk of Manchurian exports towards Vladivostok.

The competition for supremacy between the Dairen and Vladivostok routes for the export of Manchurian grain has been of long standing between the South Manchurian and the Chinese Eastern Railways, but never before had it affected the exporters disastrously.

CLEARINGS SHOW LARGE INCREASE

Bank Returns Here Have Steadily Advanced During Past Eight Months at Victoria Clearing House

FOREST PRODUCTS OUTPUT EXPANDS

Much Improved Hotel Accommodation Will Be Found Up-Island by Tourists This Summer

BANK clearings for the month of March here totaled $11,364,042, as compared with $9,272,728 in the month of March, 1927.

There has been a gain of about two millions per month over the last six months; in fact, each month since last July has shown an advance over the preceding period. This increase in clearings is slightly better than the average of Canadian cities, showing that Victoria is holding her place as an important business centre.

Forest product movements in carload lots from Vancouver Island show a steady growth, with particular activity in the logging operations.

Coal is affected by the usual slackening off which comes in Springtime, the output of the collieries reflecting this condition.

In anticipation, the companies interested in fishing and pilchard reduction are preparing for the approaching season, and several companies are adding to their facilities with new construction, particularly on the West Coast.

In agricultural operations chief interest centres in improving co-operative facilities, and providing opportunities on the Island to preserve fruit crops.

There has been great activity in hotel improvements, anticipating the tourist season. Many Up-Island hotels are under new management, and additional buildings have been erected at a number of points. The hotels are showing a disposition of their own to provide for the athletic interests of tourists, in golf courses, bridle trails for riding, etc.

VISITORS NOT TO BE WORRIED

No Deposit With Customs to Be Required on Golf Clubs, Rifles, Racquets or Fishing Tackle

CANOES AND TENTS ARE NOT INCLUDED

Victoria customs department has not yet been notified from Ottawa of the lifting of the deposit regulations for personal sporting goods brought in by tourists on holiday journeys.

This subject has caused irritation on the part of American tourists, but according to a message received yesterday by Mr. Fred J. Elkins, manager of the Automobile Club of British Columbia, from Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of Customs, the regulation is to be suspended.

The new ruling exempts guns and rifles (not including pistols and revolvers), fishing tackle, golf clubs, tennis racquets and cameras from the list for which deposits will be required. These articles, however, must be reported the same as other articles comprising a tourist's outfit.

Deposits will still be required for canoes, outboard motors, tents, camping equipment, phonographs, radios and musical instruments, the statement adds.

Roman Emperor's Pleasure Boat Raised at Lake

ROME, March 31.—The ceremony which, late next Fall, may crown the successful raising of at least one of the famous "palace ships" of the Emperor Caligula from the bottom of Lake Nemi, should prove more than ordinarily picturesque and evocative of memories. Premier Mussolini is expected to tread the boards of the imperial galley, which historians declare was the scene of some of the orgies for which Caligula was famous.

FLOOD DANGER ENDED

SASKATOON, March 31.—The Pike Lake Valley flood reached its peak Friday afternoon, and during the night the invading waters, caused by a gigantic ice jam in the South Saskatchewan River, began to recede. It is believed there is no further danger to lives or property, and that giving assistance to refugees from the flooded farms is all that remains to be done at the present time.

Will Be Intercity Passenger Carrier

ABOVE is pictured the modern Stout all-metal monoplane which the B.C. Airways, Limited, will have in operation between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle about May 1. This plane embodies the latest developments in aircraft design. It is powered with three 200-horsepower Wright "Whirlwind" motors, similar to the engine Colonel Lindbergh used on his Atlantic flight. It will carry fourteen passengers in addition to its two pilots, in a regular daily service. Victorians will be able to fly from here to California by changing planes at Seattle.

Some Now Born May See Population of Canada Increase to 200,000,000

Dean R. W. Brock, of University of British Columbia, Makes Deliberate Prediction Which He Considers Conservative

KAMLOOPS, March 31.—Diving into the future of Canada, Dean R. W. Brock, of the Faculty of Applied Science, University of British Columbia, before the Canadian Club, foresaw a population in the Dominion of 200,000,000 and a stupendous growth in industry and foreign trade never before seen in the history of the world. Dean Brock based his assumptions on analysis of existing conditions in Europe, in relation to temperature, rainfall, coal, resources and elevation. From these, in definite ratios, could be established the potential population, and Canada's could be estimated conservatively as above. This took no heed of the vast Northern empire.

A population of 30,000,000 was forecast by the Dean for Southern British Columbia within a generation or two.

In the last hundred years the population of the world had increased two and one-half times and Europe was near the saturation point. Countries having similar meteorological conditions and still open to emigration were Canada, South America, South Africa and Australia. Of these, Canada had the greatest advantages, being nearest to Europe, having a location in the northern hemisphere and possessing ample resources.

Canada's growth, he continued, would surpass even the meteoric rise of the United States, which was largely self-contained. Canada, with a population of 9,000,000, had a foreign trade which exceeded that of the United States when the latter had a population of 76,000,000. In answer to the cries to curb the export of raw materials, the Dean showed that forty per cent of Dominion exports were manufactured, as compared with only forty-seven per cent of United States exports. United States foreign trade was $77 per capita and Canada's $236.

Byrd Monoplane Off for Trials On Hudson Bay

THE PAS, Man., March 5.—Piloted by Floyd Bennett and Bernt Balchen, the three-motored monoplane in which Commander Byrd will attempt a flight over the South pole left here today for Fort Churchill on the first of a series of test flights.

The trial, it is expected, will take about two days, after which the plane will be flown back to Winnipeg Monday or Tuesday. It will remain there for two days, and then it will be taken back to Detroit.

NEW WESTMINSTER BY-LAW

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 31.—Expenditures of more than $2,000,000 for the provision of port terminals in this city was assured today when New Westminster ratepayers passed the Pacific Coast Terminals Limited, by-law, authorizing an agreement between the city and the company, by an overwhelming majority. The by-law was carried by a vote of 1,907 to 132.

ARGENTINES GO TO POLL TODAY

PRESIDENT RUNS IN TWO GENERAL ELECTIONS WITHOUT MAKING SPEECH

Existing Administration Has Good Chance of Success—Five Parties in Contest

BUENOS AIRES, March 31.—Some 1,872,000 Argentine citizens are entitled to go to the polls tomorrow to elect a president and vice-president to govern from October 12 until the same date in 1934. At the same time the voters will select one senator and eighty-one deputies, partly renovating the Senate, which has thirty members, and the Chamber of Representatives, which has 158. There are five presidential tickets in the field, including the one headed by former President Irrigoyen, who, if he should win, will be the one man in the history of democracy to twice attain the presidency of a nation without having made a campaign speech.

Although five parties are contesting, the consensus today was that the battle was between two parties, the Radical Personalista and the Radical anti-Personalista. The Personalista are Liberal and the party is regarded as radical in name only. Senor Irrigoyen is candidate of this party and his running mate is Francisco Beiro.

LOCAL PLANE AIDS WEDDING

Visitor to City Flies to Vancouver to Attend Marriage of Best Friend When Plans Are Changed

LOCAL MAN MAKES LANDING IN DARK

To hear about 5 p.m. that your best friend is not going to be married in Victoria after all, but is going to be married at 7.30 p.m. at the Georgia Hotel, Vancouver, would be a somewhat disconcerting experience for one who is scheduled to play an important if secondary role at the ceremony.

It was the experience, however, of Mr. Carl A. Weyerhauser, of Little Ford, Minn., yesterday.

But Mr. Weyerhauser was equal to the occasion, and so also was the B.C. Airways. Mr. Weyerhauser merely phoned the airdrome and arranged for a plane to fly him to the scene of the wedding.

At 5:20 p.m. Mr. Weyerhauser was winging his way to Vancouver in the Alexandra "Eagle Rock" piloted by Mr. A. H. Wilson, pilot-instructor of the B.C. Airways. Less than an hour afterwards he climbed from the machine into a field on the outskirts of Vancouver, which he then reached by automobile. If Vancouver had had an airport within the city limits he would have alighted even closer to his destination.

Just why the marriage did not take place in Victoria as per schedule is a tangled story of boats just missed and wires severely crossed. But thanks to Victoria's facilities in the way of the latest means of transportation, Mr. Weyerhauser was able to conquer the ultimate difficulty of a separating distance of about eighty miles in less than an hour.

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LEE LIM TO APPEAL CASE

Chinaman Sentenced to Fifteen Years' Imprisonment Will Appeal Against Conviction at Assizes

ACCUSED RELEASED ON $10,000 BAIL

Lee Lim, the Chinaman who was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald on Friday, on a charge of attempting to murder Wong Lim and with taking part in an affray on February 5, will appeal from his conviction on those two indictments at the criminal assizes which concluded last week.

The appeal will be heard by the British Columbia Court of Appeal at its Summer sitting in Victoria which will open on Tuesday, June 5. Notice of appeal was filed yesterday in the Supreme Court Registry at the Court House by Mr. Stuart Henderson, counsel for Lee Lim.

Lee Lim was released on bail yesterday, Mr. Henderson making an application to Chief Justice J. A. Macdonald, of the British Columbia Appeal Court. The Chief Justice fixed bail in the sum of $10,000, in two sureties of $5,000 each.

GROUNDS OF APPEAL

Lee Lim is making his appeal on the following grounds, involving questions of law only:

1. That the learned judge at the trial did not put the defence to the jury.

2. That he misdirected the jury.

3. That he did not direct the jury properly on reasonable doubt.

4. That he erred in statement of material facts to the jury.

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Toad Supposed to Be Buried for Ages Is Less Than Year Old

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 31.—Scientists at the Smithsonian Institution shattered today the story that a toad found in an Oklahoma hill and sent here was many thousands of years old. Upon arrival in Washington today, the toad, nicknamed "Pleisty," was examined by scientists, who said it was of a common species widely scattered over the West, known as Bufo Compastilis. It was said to be not more than a year old.

France Agrees to Sign World-Wide Treaty for Outlawing Use of War

Pledge Is Not to Be Restricted to Wars of Aggression—Powers to Agree Never to Seek Settlement of Any Conflict of Any Nature by Resort to Arms

Draft Treaty to Be Submitted to Britain, Italy, Germany and Japan

WASHINGTON, March 31.—France today asserted her readiness to submit to the British, Italian, German and Japanese Governments all the Franco-American antiwar correspondence, along with the draft of a general treaty pledging them not to resort to war. The purpose of these submissions, as outlined in a note to Frank B. Kellogg, United States Secretary of State, by Ambassador Claudel, will be that the four Governments join "in seeking in the spirit and in the letter of the last American note any adjustments which in the last analysis may be forthcoming with regard to the possibility of reconciling previous obligations with the terms of the contemplated treaty."

While the new French note abandons previous insistence that the antiwar pledge be restricted to wars of aggression, three points are outlined as necessary, in the French view if an agreement is to be reached. They are:

1. That the treaty be open to the accession of all Governments of the world and to come into force only after universal acceptance, unless the powers which had signed or acceded, "should agree upon it coming into force despite certain abstentions."

2. That if one signatory state "should fail to keep its word," other signatories be released automatically from their engagement "with respect to the offending state."

3. That the renunciation of war in no way deprives signatories of the right of legitimate defence.

SOLEMN DECLARATION

The new proposal of Foreign Minister Briand, is that the signatory powers of such a multilateral treaty, "while not prejudicing their rights of legitimate defence within the framework of existing treaties, should make solemn declaration condemning recourse to war as an instrument of national policy, or in other words, as a means of carrying out their own spontaneous, independent policy."

"They would specifically undertake among themselves," the French note goes on, "to refrain from any attack or invasion and never to seek the settlement of any difference or conflict of whatsoever nature or origin which might arise between them save by pacific means."

Russell House To Be Vacated By Claimant

LONDON, March 31.—An armistice has been declared in the fight of eighty-three-year-old William Adrian Allery, to obtain possession of the $300,000,000 Angell estate in South London, which he claims belongs to him instead of to a board of ecclesiastical commissioners now controlling it.

Allery, who stood on the steps of Russell House with an iron crowbar in his hand Wednesday, breathing defiance against efforts to demolish the structure, has agreed in chancery division to vacate the building which he seized the other day.

The judge postponed, until the next term, a motion by the ecclesiastical commissioners restraining Allery and Frank Bowes, his assistant, from interfering with the tenant.

VOTERS HAVE ONLY ONE WEEK

OPPORTUNITY FOR PROVINCIAL REGISTRATION ENDS NEXT SATURDAY

Where Electors May Ascertain Assurance of Being on Register

Five more days remain during which voters may register for the provincial election as Good Friday is a statutory holiday.

Applicants must be British subjects by birth or naturalization of six months' residence in this province and one month in the electoral district, and be twenty years of age.

It is necessary for all those who did not use their vote at the last provincial election to reregister. All those who have changed their addresses since 1924 should see that the new list contains the corrected addresses. Registration of the Dominion election of 1926 unless also on the provincial list, will not qualify.

Mr. George H. Mabon, registrar of voters for Victoria and Esquimalt electoral districts, states that registration may be made at the Court House, Bastion Street, on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., and on Saturday, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Friday next being Good Friday, the office will not be open at the Court House on that day.

The office of the Victoria Conservative Association will be open daily until 10 o'clock each evening on the seventh floor Campbell Building.

The office of Bishop & Worthington, Ltd., 576 Yates Street, will be open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily, until April 7, for the purpose of receiving registrations. Mr. Charles R. Bishop, secretary of the Victoria Liberal Association, points out that the qualifications enumerated above are quite distinct from those of a city elector.

In view of the current belief that a general election will be held in British Columbia either in the Summer or Autumn months this year, the registrations made since the date of the last revision of the provincial voters' list have been very heavy.

Parliament Is Dissolved In Germany

BERLIN, March 31.—The third reichstag under the Republic, which was dissolved today by President von Hindenberg, is generally expected to be succeeded by a parliament of a somewhat changed complexion through the elections on May 20. If the recent municipal and provincial by-elections are any criterion, the Socialists will likely succeed, the German Nationalists as the coalition party in the new government, in which the Democrats also are likely to participate again.

MINING EXCHANGE FOR PRAIRIE CITY

WINNIPEG, March 31.—The Winnipeg Tribune today contains the following news story:

"Winnipeg will have a mining exchange in operation within the next three months. Plans regarding the formation have been completed and the three factions which could not agree earlier in the year regarding details of constitution and managership, have got together and smoothed out all difficulties. Although seats have not yet been sold, it is understood that a committee will meet next week, when about sixty applications will be considered."

Osteopath Loses

MONTREAL, March 31.—Mr. Justice Bond, in the Superior Court, rendered judgment denying the right of an osteopath, not registered by the College of Physicians and Surgeons, to recover alleged fees for services rendered. Mr. Justice Bond, in rendering this decision, awarded Phillip Holliday, osteopath, $31 on a claim of $1,472 against Lady C. Minnie Reid, widow of the late Senator William Reid, Newfoundland. He dismissed the rest of the claim on the ground that it was for medical services which the plaintiff had no right to enter.

PLANETS STRAY FROM COURSES

Deviations Reported of Saturn, Neptune and Uranus From Usual Orbits Photographs Taken

PULL OF UNKNOWN STAR MAY BE CAUSE

CHICAGO, March 31.—Reported deviations of several large planets from their natural orbits and belief of some astronomers that a mysterious celestial stranger was responsible, are being investigated by the University of Chicago's Yerkes Observatory at Williams Bay, Wis.

Photographs of the universe in the region of the planet Neptune behind which the new heavenly body is believed to exist, have been taken for further study.

The newcomer has not been observed yet, but astronomers said some unidentified influence has pulled the planets Uranus, Neptune and Saturn from their usual orbits.

Professor William H. Pickering, former Yale astronomer, advanced the theory that the supposed stranger was responsible.

Professor Edward B. Frost, director of the Yerkes Observatory, and Professor Frank E. Bass are making a study of conditions believed caused by the unseen planet.

Yacht Venetia Sold to Go to Ontario Lakes

SAN DIEGO, March 31.—Slipping quietly away from the Broadway pier today, the steam yacht Venetia, pride of the Southern California Coast, departed from San Diego probably for the last time. The Venetia's new owner is James Playfair, Canadian shipping man, and her destination is Midland, Canada, via Montreal.

During the war the Venetia won two gold stars which now are on her funnel. The German U boat 39, which sank the Lusitania, succumbed to depth charges dropped by the yacht, and the U 53 was disabled and put out of the war a short time later by the Venetia's marksmen.

German Flyers Will Not Start Injudiciously

DUBLIN, March 31.—The three German airmen may delay their transatlantic flight from Baldonnel airdrome to New York for a week or more, it was indicated today. Bad weather has kept the Junkers monoplane, Bremen, on the ground since its arrival here early in the week from Berlin on the first stage of the transatlantic journey. While Captain Hermann Koehl, Pilot Baron Gunther Von Heunefeld and Mechanic Arthur Spindler are anxious to start on the westward air journey, which has never been accomplished, they have decided not to risk their lives by an injudicious hop-off.

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CHICAGO FIGHT GROWS HOTTER

REPUBLICAN SENATOR BLAMES REPUBLICAN MAYOR FOR CRIME CONDITIONS

Federal Authorities Incensed by Increase in Bootlegging—Attempt at Clean-Up

CHICAGO, March 31.—United States Senator Charles Deneen—himself a victim of political bombs—swung into the Illinois Republican primary campaign today with a speech blaming State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe and Mayor William Hale Thompson for bombs, machine guns and general crime conditions in Chicago.

While Deneen was speaking at a noon political rally, United States District Attorney George E. Johnson was announcing discovery of a liquor and dynamite cache in a suburban gang chief's home.

WASHINGTON INCENSED

Johnson made it known that the Federal authorities, incensed by a sudden increase in rum-running, was definitely out to "get the higher-ups" and was uninterested in "the small fry of the booze racket." Liquor, bomb syndicates and politics are hopelessly confused in Chicago's social and economic structure, and some observers saw in increased Federal liquor activity at this time a serious attempt to clean up Chicago before the primary a week from Tuesday.

Such an attempt would throw into clear opposition the law enforcement authorities of the city of Chicago and Cook County on the one hand and Federal authorities on the other.

Deneen, as senator, was regarded as having great influence in Federal law enforcement circles; and his faction of the Republican party was fighting to take control of Cook County away from Crowe, and control of the state out of the hands of Governor Len Small, ally of Crowe and Mayor Thompson in the present campaign.

LEE LIM TO APPEAL CASE

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5. That improper evidence was admitted.
6. That the charge to the jury by the learned judge did entirely magnify the evidence of the prosecution, and minimize the evidence for the defence.
7. That the verdict of the jury is contradictory.
8. And on such other grounds as appear on the face of the proceedings.

NOTICE IS GIVEN

Mr. Henderson gave notice that a motion would be made on behalf of Lee Lim to the Court of Appeal, at its June sitting, for an order granting leave to appeal to the court from the said conviction upon the following grounds of fact or mixed law and fact;

1. That the verdict is against the evidence and the weight of the evidence.
2. That there is no evidence of an affray, except such as might be included in a charge of attempt to murder.
3. And on such other grounds as appear on the face of the proceedings.

An application will be made to the Appeal Court for leave to appeal against the sentence, provided the defendant is unsuccessful in his general appeal. An appeal against the sentence would be made on the grounds that sentence is excessive and not warranted by the evidence.

WOULD HARNESS ESTUARY TIDE

Engineer Proposes to Generate Electrical Power for East England in "The Wash"

LONDON, March 31.—Harnessing the tides has again been advanced as the solution of England's lack of water power. An engineer has just come forward with an ingenious scheme for utilizing the ebb and flow of waters in the great basin of water in Eastern England opening off the North Sea and known as The Wash.

It has been pointed out that there are more than 130,000 acres of water available in The Wash, whose water power would be capable of generating sufficient electricity to supply the needs of the counties of Lincoln, Norfolk, Huntingdon, Bedford, Northampton, Essex, Suffolk, Oxford, Cambridgeshire and Greater London as well.

The plan provides for the division of The Wash into two basins by means of dams. One basin would be kept level by the inflow of the sea at high tide and the rivers flowing into it, and the low level receiving basin would be kept at low tide level, except for the waters from the power station retained during the period when the high tide would prevent the spent waters flowing out to sea.

REPORT SAYS PLANE DIVED INTO OCEAN

HOQUIAM, March 31.—The coastguard here was informed that an airplane went into the surf at Grayland, twenty miles southwest of here, at 4.30 this afternoon. The plane, flying north, presumably from Portland, immediately disappeared in the ocean, the report said. Coastguard boats were sent out but were unable to find trace of a plane.

PORTLAND, March 31.—A check of Portland aviation circles tonight indicated that every plane in this district could be accounted for.

Minister (to deacon): "Then you don't think I practise what I preach, eh?"

Deacon: "No, sir, I don't. You've been preachin' on the subject of resignation for two years."

With the Ex-Service Organizations

In Victoria and District

NAVAL VETERANS' BRANCH

The monthly meeting of the Naval Veterans' Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in the clubrooms, Fairbanks-Morse Building, on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

CANADIAN W R PENSIONERS

The Canadian War Pensioners' Association (Victoria branch) at its last regular meeting adopted a resolution supporting the action of the Amputations Association in requesting that the sum of $100,000 be set aside from the canteen funds of the province for disabled veterans, widows and orphans of the war. A number of new members were accepted, and satisfactory progress was reported. The next meeting will be held on Friday, April 13, at 8 o'clock in the Surrey Block, Yates Street. All disabled veterans are invited to attend.

Turkey's Quake Reported Locally

IT took forty minutes for the first surface waves from the earthquake which took place in Turkey yesterday to reach Victoria, according to information given out last evening by Mr. Napier Denison, director of the Dominion Meteorological Bureau here. The instrument at the Gonzales Heights Observatory continued to vibrate for one hour after the first tremor reached here. The estimated distance of the centre of the disturbance was 6,300 miles from Victoria.

JAPAN LEGATION DISQUIETS HIM

Mr. Ladner Thinks Wisdom of Sending Minister to Tokio Is Very Questionable

MONTREAL, March 31.—"Canada's position in the British Empire will, within the next twenty-five years, become a great political issue in the Dominion," declared L. J. Ladner, M.P. for Vancouver South, in addressing a meeting held under the auspices of the Women's Conservative Association. Too free an interpretation of Canada's right to appoint her own ministers to foreign countries was viewed with some disquiet by the speaker. What would happen in the case of Great Britain being engaged in a war with which Canada had no quarrel, he left to the imagination of the audience.

JAPANESE QUESTIONS

In his address, Mr. Ladner said: "Mr. Mackenzie King proposes to send a minister to Japan—the wisdom of which is very questionable. We, of the Pacific Coast, know what a problem that is. We know the great possibilities of trade with Japan and desire to avail ourselves of them. We, likewise, know the difficulties."

The speaker illustrated the effect of the presence of large numbers of Japanese on the wage-earners of British Columbia. "Wherever they enter the white man cannot survive. Nor can they mix, and their children are increasing in very great numbers."

BRITAIN AND EGYPT EXCHANGING NOTES

LONDON, March 31.—The Egyptian Government has replied to the recent British note of warning regarding certain legislative proposals in Egypt which the British Government felt might endanger the public security in that country. It is understood the Egyptian reply objects to this as interference in the internal affairs of Egypt, and states the willingness of the Egyptian Government to secure the safety of foreigners.

The British note was sent after the Egyptian Government had rejected the draft of an Anglo-Egyptian treaty.

PRICES SUSTAINED FOR FAT CATTLE

Island Men Return From Kamloops Bull Sale Where Increased Business Was Transacted

Victoria men who attended the annual bull sale at Kamloops reached home yesterday, reporting that the improved conditions in the beef market were shown in the prices obtained for stock. This condition prevailed both for fat stock and breeding animals.

Mr. J. A. Turner, of Cadboro Bay, who went on to the Calgary bull sale, was an important exhibitor. He took on to Calgary and Edmonton the champion steer, it having been decided to show him there.

Fat cattle were heavier than in the previous year, 117 animals being sold at prices averaging $117 per head. Total sales, including bulls and fat stock, represented $29,000, or $8,000 more than the preceding year.

The shorthorn grand champion, Donalda Commander, was sold to Mr. Frank Ward for $530, and was immediately purchased at an advance of $50 by an Alberta purchaser. A year ago he passed under the hammer at $245.

Among those attending from here were Dr. Warnock, deputy minister of agriculture; Dr. Knight, livestock commissioner; Mr. George Sangster and Mr. George Pilmer, assistant secretary.

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SMYRNA SHAKEN BY EARTHQUAKE

TWENTY-FIVE OR MORE REPORTED KILLED—INTERIOR HIT HARDER

Eighty Per Cent of Buildings at Tepekeui Said to Have Collapsed—Shocks Last Hour

LONDON, March 31.—A special dispatch to The London Sunday Express from Smyrna reports that the earthquake there today caused twenty-five or more deaths and the injury to about four-score other persons.

Every factory chimney in the city collapsed, numbers of houses are in ruins, and all industrial activity has been suspended.

The governor has ordered all offices and places of public resort closed.

The dispatch said that hundreds of families are camping in the open. News from the interior is even more serious, eighty per cent of the buildings at Tepekeui having collapsed. Intermittent shocks lasted for sixty minutes.

"Ask Me Another"

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GENERAL QUIZ

1. Who was Andrew Johnson?
2. Where is Zuyder Zee?
3. What is the derivation of the word centipede?
4. How many feet are there in a fathom?
5. What have the following in common: Nose dive, tail spin, side slip, bank?
6. What is an idiosyncrasy?
7. In what work of fiction does Philip Nolan cry out: "Damn the United States! I wish I may never hear of the United States again!"?
8. Who is Pablo Casals?
9. Has it ever been necessary for the gambling casino at Monte Carlo to cease operations because the management had no more money to finance the tables?
10. Where does Aimee Semple McPherson usually hold her revival meetings?
11. Who wrote "The College Widow?"
12. What is the origin of the word "epicure?"
13. What is George Ade's best-known book?
14. What was the title of the Oriental potentate who so courteously received Marco Polo and his father and uncle?
15. What well-known theatrical producer was once the manager of the heavyweight champion, James J. Jeffries?
16. Distinguish between Millet and Millay.
17. What is pemmican?
18. On what occasion was the order reputed to be given: "Don't fire till you see the whites of their eyes!"?
19. On whose back did the "old man of the sea" ride?
20. Give the next line after: "Oh what a tangled web we weave."
21. What unusual property distinguishes the banyan tree?
22. Translate the phrase: "Mens sana in corpore sano."
23. What other large chain of newspapers in the United States, beside that of William Randolph Hearst, is operated under unit management?
24. What is a truffle?
25. What formation do migrating bands of geese maintain while flying?

ANSWERS TO GENERAL QUIZ

1. Seventeenth President of the United States (1808-1875). He succeeded Lincoln upon the latter's assassination.
2. Formerly a landlocked inlet of the Netherlands, now joined to the North Sea.
3. From the Latin centum (hundred) and pes, pedis (foot); hence, hundred-footed.
4. Six.
5. They are manoeuvres of airplanes.
6. A peculiarity of physical or mental constitution or temperament.
7. "The Man Without a Country," by Edward Everett Hale (1822-1909).
8. A famous 'cellist.
9. No. Occasionally an individual table suspends play for a few minutes until fresh funds are brought from the safe.
10. At Angelus Temple, Los Angeles.
11. George Ade (1866 --).
12. From the name of a school of philosophy called Epicurian, founded by Epicurus (341-270 B.C.).
13. "Fables in Slang."
14. The Great Khan (Kublai).
15. William A. Brady (1863 —).
16. Jean Francois Millet (1815-1875) was a French painter of rural scenes; Edna St. Vincent Millay (1892 —) is a well-known American poet.
17. A prepared food used in the Polar regions; made of meat (or fish), suet and sugar, with a small proportion of dried currants.
18. The Battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775.
19. That of Sinbad the Sailor (in the "Thousand and One Nights' Entertainments").
20. "When first we practise to deceive!" (from "Marmion," by Sir Walter Scott, 1771-1832).
21. Its branches send down shoots which pierce the earth and take root, so that it has many trunks linked together by branches.
22. A sound mind in a sound body.
23. The Scripps-Howard group.
24. Any one of various fleshy underground fungi lying below the ground and discovered by swine or dogs who smell their odor.
25. A "V" or arrow-head formation.

SPECIAL QUIZ

European History

1. What statesman was chiefly responsible for unifying Germany?
2. What is the name given to the period in the French Revolution from the fall of the Girondists, May 31, 1793, to July 27, 1794, when Robespierre was overthrown after having caused the execution of thousands of people?
3. Who defeated the Moslems between Tours and Poitiers in 732 A.D.?
4. What was Domesday Book?
5. What were "The Hundred Days?"
6. Who was Count von Moltke?
7. What king of England was succeeded by a son and two daughters?
8. What were the "Three Estates" in France, prior to the Revolution?
9. What is the most famous exploit of Godfrey de Bouillion?
10. Who made his infant son "King of Rome?"

ANSWERS TO SPECIAL QUIZ

European History

1. Otto Edward, Prince von Bismarck-Schonhausen (1815-1898).
2. The Reign of Terror.
3. Charles Martel ("The Hammer," about 690-741).
4. A statistical survey of the lands of England, made by William the Conqueror in 1086.
5. The name commonly given to the period between March 20, 1815, when Napoleon arrived in Paris after his return from Elba, and June 28, 1815, the date of the restoration of Louis XVIII.
6. Helmuth Karl Bernhard, Count von Moltke (1800-1891), was commander-in-chief of the German forces in the Franco-Prussian War of 1870.
7. Henry VIII, father of Edward VI, Mary and Elizabeth.
8. Nobles, Clergy, Common People.
9. His leadership of the First Crusade, from 1096 to 1100.
10. Napoleon Bonaparte (1769-1821) conferred this title upon his son by Marie-Louise, former archduchess of Austria.

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Through the courtesy of Mr. J. S. H. Matson, the second floor of the Broughton Street stage depot has been placed at the disposal of the Vancouver Horticultural Association for its second annual Spring Flower Show, to be held on April 27 and 28. It was originally arranged to hold the show in the Armories, but owing to the fact that the Home Products Fair will be in progress there during that week, the use of the building was impracticable.

This year the show will have an exceedingly large area for display entries. Over 200 feet of wall space has already been taken to accommodate displays to be sent in by horticultural associations at Alberni, Cowichan, North Saanich, Sidney, Langford, Royal Oak and possibly Courtenay. The Vancouver Tulip and Spring Flower Show is sending over a large non-competitive display, while horticulturists of the Lower Mainland are also sending a large number of entries.

Mr. P. R. Leighton, secretary of the V.I.H.A., is soliciting by letter entries from many private gardens in Victoria and vicinity. A special effort is being made to induce non-professional gardeners to enter the show.

With 165 classes in which to enter, every gardener will have an opportunity to exhibit in some section of the show. Twenty-one challenge cups and trophies and $500 in prizes have been put up for competition. Many people interested in horticulture have subscribed to the prize list, and any others wishing to do so may send their donations to Mr. P. R. Leighton, at 521 Fort Street.

The show is again being held this year under the patronage of Lady Willingdon. Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon will officially open the show.

Passenger: "Porter, is this a through train?"

Porter: "Nawsah, she's jest done commenced, sah."—Detroit News.

ANTI-AIRCRAFT SECTION HERE

Victorians Train on High-Firing Guns—Recruits Needed for Unit of 5th Coast Brigade

Now that aviation is making rapid progress in Victoria and the British Columbia Airways' airdrome is acting as a magnet for the youth of the city each week-end, it is of interest to note that an anti-aircraft section has been in existence here since last year.

This unit is part of the 5th B.C. Coast Brigade and is under the command of Captain H. M. S. Bell, with Lieutenant R. H. Fort as second in command.

Anti-aircraft defence, like aviation generally, is still in the development stage, but will be a need vitally felt by large cities of the future. Even a pacifist could scarcely object to anti-aircraft defence as it is an absolutely essential defensive measure wherever it may be employed.

Although not equipped with the latest weapons at the present time, the unit has a number of interesting instruments, some of which are of the most modern type. There is every hope that if enough interest can be maintained, new guns will be forthcoming in the near future.

Almost every man in the unit must be a specialist, and young men of good education have been found to be the most suitable.

Owing to several members of the unit having left the city, about a dozen recruits are required at the present time.

Drills are held at the Armory at 8 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, after which members of the unit indulge in swimming or other recreation.

Members of the unit cordially invite those interested in this work to come and see them at drill on Monday nights.

Gun practice will take place from Fort Macauley this year and it is expected that an airplane will co-operate with the gunners.

Regimental Orders

5TH (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, C.A.

Orders by Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Harris, V.D., Commanding. Headquarters, Victoria, B.C., March 31, 1928.

DUTIES

Duties for week ending Friday, April 6:

Orderly officer, Lieutenant W. V. Allen.

Orderly sergeant, No. 1072 Sergeant Dunnell, S.

PARADES

The units of the brigade will parade for instruction under their respective O.C. as follows, Permanent Force personnel to act only in a supervisory capacity:

2nd A.A. Section—8 p.m., Monday, April 2.

12th, 55th and 56th Heavy Batteries, 8 p.m., Tuesday, April 3.

58th Field Battery, 8 p.m., Thursday, April 5.

Brigade Signallers, promptly at 7:30, Thursday, April 5.

Note—In future, Brigade Signalers will parade on Fridays at 7:30 p.m. instead of on Tuesdays at 8 p.m., as heretofore, Good Friday excepted.

STRENGTH INCREASE

The following men have been taken on strength and posted as under:

1132, Gnr. Washington, J. L., to 55th Heavy Battery, 27-3-28.

7200, Gnr. Morrell, W.A., to 58th Field Battery, 23-3-28.

RE-ENGAGED

The following N.C.O.'s having re-attested, are taken on strength from the dates set opposite their respective names:

1067, Sgt. Hatcher, H. N. A., 15-4-27.

5009, R.Q.M.S. Colbert, J. L., 21-2-27.

5042, Sgt. Rudge, A. H., 27-2-27.

7086, Sgt. Carter, F.C., 10-4-226.

TRANSFER

The following transfer has been approved by the C.O. with effect from 27-3-28.

7086, Sgt. Carter, F. C., from 58th Field to 12th Heavy Battery.

PROMOTIONS

The following promotions have been approved by the C.O., with effect from 27-3-28.

7086, Sgt. Carter, F. C., to be B.S.M., 12th Heavy Battery.

7085, Sgt. Maxwell, J., to be B.Q.M.S., 58th Field Battery.

5073, Bdr. Sullivan, W. J., to be L.-Sgt., 12th Heavy Battery.

STRENGTH DECREASES

The following N.C.O.'s and men, being time expired, are struck off the strength with effect from 27-3-28:

1071, L.-Sgt. Clark, H. B.
1039, Gnr. Birch.
1042, Gnr. George.
1045, Gnr. Hagar, B.
1069, Gnr. Tooby.
1066, Gnr. Hirst.
1074, Gnr. Grant, D. W. H.
1076, Gnr. Laycox.
1080, Gnr. Ryall, B. E.
1046, L.-Bdr. Taylor, C.
1059, Gnr. Cuddington.
1044, Gnr. Hagar, J. D.
1050, Gnr. Robbins.
1070, Gnr. Wells.
1073, Gnr. Wilson, R. A.
1075, Gnr. Nesbitt.
1079, Gnr. Mayar, C.
1081, Gnr. White, W. B.

GARRISON CHURCH PARADE

A Garrison church parade will be held on Sunday, April 15. As the C.O. is anxious that the brigade shall parade at full strength, O.C.'s batteries will see to it that all personnel who are not already in possession of clothing and equipment draw the same so as to be available for this parade. Further details will be given later.

Para. 224 (Special Signaling Instruction) is repeated for the information of all concerned:

"Special signaling instruction will be given by the R.C.C.S. on Friday, March 30 and Thursday, April 5, from 7:30 until 9 p.m., for all signalers of the brigade. Instruction will begin promptly at 7:30 p.m., and a full turnout of all signalers is requested.

P. T. STERN, Major.
Adjt., 5th (B.C.) Coast Bde., C.A.

Little Emily had been to school for the first time in her short, young life.

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SIX ESTATES ARE PROBATED

Judicial Decisions Placed on Record in Supreme Court of British Columbia at Victoria

Probates and administrations issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at Victoria during the week ending yesterday include the following:

Kezia Nicholas, late of Oak Bay, who died March 2, 1928; estate $2,997.

Samuel Leech, late of Saanich, who died at Victoria, February 17, 1928; estate, $3,557.

James Alexander McConnell, Saskatchewan probate resealed: B.C. estate, $1,814; total estate, $28,299.

Edith Hannah Severs, late of Victoria, who died January 26, 1926; estate, $7,500.

Annie Douglas, late of Vancouver, who died at Victoria, March 17, 1928; estate, $807.

Allan Virtue, late of Victoria, who died January 5, 1928; estate, $19,972.

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In the city police court yesterday Magistrate George Jay fined J. H. Taylor the sum of $100 for being the keeper of a betting house. The accused, who pleaded guilty to the charge, was arraigned in court on information laid by Chief of Police John Fry, who searched his premises on Friday.

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THE TECHNICAL SCHOOL PROJECT

In their survey of the schools of British Columbia in 1925 the Survey Commissioners expressed the opinion that only one thoroughly equipped technical school could be maintained in a province of 600,000 people. If this advice was sound three years ago, what has happened in the economic life of the province to warrant the establishment of a school of this type in Victoria?

The people of Vancouver have decided to enter the field of technical education on a scale commensurate with the size of a city of extensive and expanding commercial and industrial enterprises. In the opinion of the Survey Commissioners the weakness of the technical courses then in operation was the indefiniteness of the aim and object in view. Those responsible for its organization were apparently afraid to call their school a vocational one, and "steered a zigzag course with one eye on the university and the other on the various trades and industries." The advice given by those who conducted the survey was that in order to discover the real work of a vocational school in Vancouver it would be necessary to make a complete and exhaustive survey of the business and industrial establishments of the city. If this has since been thoroughly done, and if, profiting by the mistakes of the past there and elsewhere, the educational authorities have clarified their ideas as to what the nature of their technical school should be, and what it should try to accomplish, the Vancouver experiment may in time justify its existence and prove successful. In the meantime Victoria can very well bide its time. It would be the part of the most elementary business prudence and common sense to observe the Vancouver experiment, wait for results, and shape out an educational policy accordingly.

In the pamphlet published by the Victoria School Board some emphasis is laid on the fact that "during the past two years the attendance in the commercial classes has increased forty-seven per cent; in the technical twenty-one per cent; and in the arts, seven per cent." These seem at first sight to be impressive figures, but a moment's examination will show their real value. According to the annual reports of the Provincial Superintendent of Education, 146 students of the Victoria High Sshool, or about fourteen per cent of the whole enrolment, attended the technical classes in 1926. According to the same authority, 163, or about fourteen per cent attended in 1927. For the present year 1928 the figure given in the School Board's pamphlet is 177, or about 14.6 per cent of the total enrolment of 1,207. In short there has been no noticeable increase in the proportion of students attending these classes during the period mentioned. The figures for the commercial classes lose much of their impressiveness when it is understood that in 1926 the commercial students formed twenty-one per cent of the high school enrolment; twenty-three per cent in 1927, and 26.1 per cent in 1928.

If there are any young people in Victoria who really require a training in industrial branches of a more extended character than that which is now provided for the 177 who now receive a "limited practical training instruction in the technical workshops," such students would be well advised to seek that training in the fully equipped vocational school to be established in Vancouver. Not only would it be better for the students themselves to go to a first class institution where every facility will be provided, but it would be an immense financial saving to Victoria. This method of "relieving the congestion" in the local high school was not mentioned in the School Board's pamphlet, but it compares favorably with the method the School Trustees advocate. Their plan entails an expenditure of public money in excess of the city's capacity for a project which may fairly be described as a leap in the dark.

COSMOGONY

It would be scientific heresy perhaps to say that astronomers draw the long bow, but it is undoubted that they indulge in elastic speculation as to the theories of probabilities. No two astronomers are agreed on the age of the earth. Most assuredly no two are agreed on the possible duration of planetary life. The sun's age is a matter of pure speculation based on evidence which is intangible. Dr. J. H. Jeans, secretary of the Royal Society, claims that the evidence of geology and of radio activity in rocks shows that the earth "must be something like two thousand million years old." In looking a million million years ahead he sees the sun much the same as now and the earth continuing to revolve round it. He believes that in that far distant age the earth will be quite a lot colder and the accumulated stores of coal, oil and forest will have long been burned up, still there is reason to suppose that the descendants of those now living will not still be in existence.

The theory that the earth is gradually growing colder is based on the belief that the sun is losing energy all the time. Dr. Jeans says the daily wastage is 360,000 tons. Similarly with the stars it is considered that their daily radiation "is imposing an endless recurring capital levy upon their masses." In other words, Dr. Jeans' claim is that the universe is melting away into radiation. There is one statement made by Dr. Jeans which appears open to grave doubt. He says that in the one thousand million stars surrounding our sun "at a moderate computation there are not more than 10,000 planetary systems because there has not been time for more than this number to be born." In order to make this statement it would seem necessary to know approximately when was the beginning of time in the solar system. Dr. Jeans is nothing if not dogmatic, for he says that we should have to visit thousands of millions of stars before finding a planetary system of as recent creation as our own, and that we should have to visit millions of millions of stars before finding a planet on which civilization and interest in the outer universe are as recent a growth as our own. "We are standing," says Dr. Jeans, "at the first flush of the dawn of civilization and are terribly inexperienced beings."

Thus, Dr. Jeans speaks of the sun being surrounded by one thousand million stars yet he speculates on thousands of millions and millions of millions of stars. To go outside the universe of which there is some knowledge to point the moral of his tale is surely entering the realm of theory and speculation in which figures mean little or nothing. Dr. Jeans dismisses the theory that the creation of planetary systems is only beginning, for his conception is that in time every star will have dissolved into radiation or disappeared in darkness. In fact he thinks that "our part of the universe has lived the most eventful part of its life already," and that, "there is not time for many more planets to be born." Thus limitless prospects are made the subject of finite theories.

A DEPARTMENT OF PEACE

Miss Agnes Macphail, the only lady member of the Federal House of Commons, has made the suggestion that there should be a Department of Peace in the Dominion Cabinet. What would be the detailed duties of such a department she did not stipulate, but her idea undoubtedly was that such a gesture would create a deep impression throughout the world. She may be right, but then the whole attitude of the Canadian Government is one of peace. Its expenditure per capita on defensive purposes is negligible as compared with the same expenditure in other parts of the Empire. It is insistent upon its rights; recreant about the responsibilities which those rights entail. Its whole attitude on the subject of armaments is one of insouciance. That is a practical gesture in the way of peace, yet it appears to have made no impression either on the British Empire or on the world, and it is especially an attitude which the other British Dominions have not looked upon with any particular favor. Since such a tangible gesture toward peace is without effect it is difficult to understand what Miss Macphail's Department of Peace could accomplish.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 31, 1928.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain.	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.01	39	59
Vancouver	Trace	42	54
Kamloops	--	36	54
Barkerville	.14	--	36
Estevan Point	.18	36	48
Prince Rupert	--	32	48
Atlin	--	12	34
Dawson	--	4b	--
Seattle	.01	42	52
Portland	.04	42	48
San Francisco	--	50	62
Spokane	.02	44	50
Penticton	--	39	59
Vernon	.44	36	53
Grand Forks	.05	35	54
Nelson	.38	37	52
Kaslo	--	36	43
Cranbrook	--	32	47
Calgary	.06	24	56
Edmonton	--	30	50
Swift Current	--	30	62
Prince Albert	--	28	54
Winnipeg	--	28	48

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; partly cloudy and mild with showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; partly cloudy and mild with showers.

SATURDAY

Maximum	51
Minimum	39
Average	45
Minimum on the grass	35

Bright sunshine, 6 hours 54 minutes.

Rain, .05 inch.

General state of the weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 29.63; wind, S., 8 miles; fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.62; wind, S.E., 10 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.50; wind, S., 4 miles; fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.52; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.62; wind, S.E., 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.54; wind, S., 12 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.62; wind, S., 16 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 29.76; wind, S.W., 10 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.68; wind, W., 16 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; wind, S.W., 4 miles; cloudy.

The Good Old Days

Genius in Trouble

"I received one morning a message from poor Goldsmith that he was in great distress, and as it was not in his power to come to me, begging that I would come to him as soon as possible. I sent him a guinea, and promised to come to him as soon as possible. I accordingly went to him as soon as I was dressed, and found that his landlady had arrested him for his rent, at which he was in a violent passion. I perceived that he had already changed my guinea, and had a bottle of Madeira and a glass before him. I put the cork into the bottle, desired he would be calm, and began to talk to him of the means whereby he might be extricated. He then told me that he had a novel ready for the press, which he produced to me. I looked into it, and saw its merit; told the landlady I should soon return, and having gone to a bookseller sold it for sixty pounds. I brought Goldsmith the money, and he discharged his rent not without rating his landlady in a high tone for having used him so ill."—(An incident of 1766. Recorded by Dr. Sanuel Johnson. The novel in question was "The Vicar of Wakefield.")

FAIRY SONG

Shed no tear! oh shed no tear!
The flower will bloom another year.
Weep no more! oh weep no more!
Young buds sleep in the root's white core.
Dry your eyes! oh dry your eyes!
For I was taught in Paradise
To ease my breast of melodies—
Shed no tear.

Overhead! look overhead!
'Mong the blossoms white and red—
Look up, look up! I flutter now
On this fresh pomegranate-bough.
See me! 'tis this silvery bill
Ever cures the good man's ill.
Shed no tear! oh shed no tear!
The flower will bloom another year.
Adieu, adieu—I fly—adieu!
I vanish in the heaven's blue—
Adieu, adieu!

—John Keats.

If anything is to be really done in this world, it must be done by visionaries—men who see the future and make the future because they see it.—Benjamin Disraeli.

We learn wisdom from failure much more than from success; we often discover what will do by finding out what will not do; and probably he who never made a mistake never made a discovery.—Samuel Smiles.

To be always thinking about your manners is not the way to make them good; the very perfection of manners is not to think about your[illegible] hop Whately.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Sir,—In your March 25 editorial you say "A boy who likes tools and machinery may develop brains and character more effectively by making useful articles than by studying Latin roots." Then you advocate extension of the manual training facilities as an alternative to the establishment of a complete technical course.

May I explain that the High School manual training course is a short course of training in handiwork designed to balance an academic course. No credit is given for it, as the student is headed for the university and a career that does not require the skill acquired.

The technical course is designed for the boy who does not need "Latin roots" and substitutes practical studies for them. Manual training is an addition to another course; the technical course is a definite course itself with a definite objective—vocational life with a general education suited to it. The Dominion Government makes a grant for such a course but refuses to make a grant for academic work even if there is a manual training course tacked on to it.

With the superior advantages of technical training admitted, the question to be decided is, shall it be substituted for academic work for those who desire it? To date there has been no satisfactory suggestion for improving the school system from the opponents of the technical school proposal, nor for increasing the accommodation. By excluding outside pupils the increased expenditure resulting from the withdrawal of outside fees will mean an increase of fifteen cents per $1,000 assessment, and still leave us with insufficient accommodation.

By adopting the technical school plan, we shall get a school and equipment of $250,000 value for sixty per cent of its cost, accommodation for years to come, and a more effective system of education. This will cost forty-five cents per $1,000 assessment, including cost of operation. Compare the two—fifteen cents increase and the school problem postponed—forty-five cents increase and the school problem solved for years to come.

A. YOUNG,

2541 Fernwood Road, Victoria, B.C., March 30, 1928.

TOMATO GROWERS

Sir,—Mr. Dempster, president of the Capital City Hothouse Tomato Growers' Association, wishes me to presume on the usual courtesy of The Colonist, to express through its columns the thanks of his association to all those who voted by proxy and personally against the Market Control Act on Friday evening, the 30th. The decisive defeat it sustained should be gratifying to all those who were good enough to assist him by their hearty co-operation.

The tomato growers on the Mainland, he considers, will feel jubilant over the decision, as it automatically releases them from being under the domination of the Marketing Act. Already, he understands they have made application to the department for exemption.

Last season the Capital City Tomato Growers' Association co-operated with the Mainland association, much to the advantage of both, and why the management of the Victoria Hothouse Association prefer to "play a lone hand" Mr. Dempster finds it difficult to understand.

Everything, however, now stands as it was last season. The majority of the growers apparently are satisfied with existing arrangements.

THOS. J. SKELTON.

Honorary Secretary-Treasurer, the Capital City Co-operative Hothouse Tomato Growers' Association, 534 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C., March 31, 1928.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaelis

RIDDLES

What is the Vision that all men seek, treading the tortuous ways of Earth, mighty and humble, strong and weak, what is their strife and their longing worth? After they come to the journey's end, say, is the goal worth the toil they spend? Why has it been since the ooze and slime, back when life dawned on this new-born sphere, misty with clouds of the primal time, always man turned from the Now and Near? Why has he dreamed of a distant place? Why has he sought for a fairer face? These are but riddles that none may read. Groping in darkness, we only know far-away lures fill the soul's deep need, ever and always we find it so. Deep in my being I yearn today after the glories of Old Cathay.

SESSIONS END

HALIFAX, March 31.—Making the final passing of the legislative council as part of the Parliament of Nova Scotia, prorogation of the third session of the thirty-eighth General Assembly, was carried out Friday afternoon with the same ceremonial display that marked its opening on February 14, and with very little reference to the disappearance of the Upper Chamber, which has been a part of the legislative system for 170 years.

TORONTO, March 31.—Ontario's legislators have completed their work for another year, and after formal prorogation on Tuesday will disperse to their homes.

LIBERALS TO MEET

The monthly meeting of Ward Two Saanich Liberal Association will be held in St. Mark's Hall, Bolskine Road, on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

BROADCAST OF MUSIC PLANNED

CFCT WILL PRESENT DAILY PROGRAMME, COMMENCING MONDAY

Sunset Orchestra Has Been Engaged for New Radio Feature

CFCT, the station of the Victoria Broadcasting Association, last evening announced that it had succeeded in securing sufficient support to enable it to present daily programmes of Victoria's finest music to go forth from the local station every evening of the week except Sunday. These programmes, by professional talent, will be presented by the Sunset Broadcasters, who comprise a number of the most influential business houses in Victoria.

This departure will be entirely different from anything that has yet been attempted in Victoria, for the talent, already secured, will produce entertainment on an equality with anything on Puget Sound. The Sunset Concert Orchestra will inaugurate the new feature at 6:20 o'clock, Monday evening, continuing one hour.

Radio listeners will welcome this addition to CFCT's offerings, which is the largest undertaking yet attempted by the Victoria Broadcasting Association since it assumed control of the local radio station on January 1.

The time of the present features necessarily had to be altered to accommodate the Sunset Broadcasts, and the following schedule will simplify matters:

Mondays, Sunset Concert Orchestra; Tuesdays, Sunset Silver Band, alternating with variety programmes; Wednesdays, Sunset Concert Orchestra; Thursdays, Sunset Organ Recital; Fridays, Sunset Concert Orchestra; Saturdays, Sunset Sextette (dance music).

The above arrangement, although tentative, will be subject only to minor changes.

CITY COUNCIL IS BEFUDDLED

Threatened Pillaging of Parks Stirs Aldermen—Legislative Committee Busy

Business of considerable moment will be taken up at the Monday night meeting of the City Council. A truce has been called by Mayor J. Carl Pendray in his fight against the extravagance of certain members of the aldermanic board, who have sought to raise the mill rate by opposing every reduction that has been proposed. During this short respite probably the most important question that has been considered by city fathers for several years will come up for discussion.

The legislative committee has been investigating the legality of the matter in question. The industrial committee has considered its advisability in the light of the city's industrial development, even the health and morals committee has given it consideration.

Stiff objection is expected to an application from the Press Club for permission to hold its blossom time ball at the Empress Hotel Friday, April 13.

Alderman John Worthington, chairman of the parks board, made it known yesterday that he would oppose the application at every stage. "The city's parks are in danger of being pillaged. There are not enough flowers in Victoria to meet the demands of the Press Club. Our Japanese plum trees will not stand the abuse," he declared yesterday.

While Alderman Harvey could not make up his mind which side to take in the issue, Alderman Adam was emphatic, and impressed upon Alderman Harvey the necessity of voting one way or the other. "It is a serious blow to the commercial life of the city. It threatens business at its very foundations. Who ever heard of doing business on Friday, April 13."

"City gardens must be protected," said Mayor Pendray. A blossom time ball at this season of the year will leave our city unadorned for the Summer tourist season. Anyhow, a blossom time ball should be held in the Fall.

Mr. Bruce Hutchison, chief factor, high exalted ruler and dictator of the ball, says that nothing will prevent his staging this dance in the interest of the public.

"The tickets will go on sale on Monday, and it will take an injunction from the Privy Council at London, a mandate from the League of Nations at Geneva, the whole police force of Victoria and an act of Providence combined to stop us," said Mr. Hutchison with a spirited toss of his head.

Hon. W. B. Wallace Dies

HALIFAX, March 3—Hon. W. B. Wallace, judge of the County Court of Halifax, and a member of the Maritime Rights Commission, headed by Sir Andrew Duncan in 1926, died at his home here today after an illness of two weeks. He was born at Port Mulgrave, N.S., in 1861 and was appointed judge of the County Court in 1901, holding this position until his death.

RABBIT BREEDERS

The monthly meeting of the B.C. Provincial Rabbit Breeders' Association will be held at the Y.M.C.A. on Tuesday at 8 p.m. At the conclusion of the usual business there will be a talk on "Hutches." All rabbit breeders are invited.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of April 1, 1878)

Driard House—This well-known and fashionable hotel will be reopened this morning by its new proprietors, Messrs. Redon & Hartnagle. The establishment has been thoroughly renovated and placed in excellent condition for the reception of guests, a fact which, in conjunction with Mr. Redon's long experience in hotel business and Mr. Hartnagle's reputation as a chef de cuisine, should ensure the Driard House liberal patronage from the travelers.

For New Westminster—The steamer Enterprise left at 8 p.m. yesterday for New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Dunlevy, Mrs. Harper, and Messrs. Dunlevy, A. Munro, Harper, G. Webb, Wright, O. S. Wright, Goodfellow, Van Volkenbergh, Ramsey, G. T. Marco, and a few others. Her detention was caused by waiting for the mail by the Dakota.

The Speaker's Prerogative—A hullabaloo was raised in the local House a few days ago when Mr. Speaker took his seat in committee on the Constitution Bill. We observe by current files that Mr. Anglin, Speaker of the Canadian House, sits in committee and debates with other members.

Do You Remember?

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When H.M.S. Zealous arrived on this station from Devonport, England, having left England for Esquimalt in November, 1867, and arrived in June, 1868? This was the first ironclad to reach the Pacific Coast, via the Straits of Magellan.

When the machinery for driving the first pile in connection with the building of which is now the old drydock at Esquimalt, was started, with due ceremony, by Lord Dufferin when he first visited Victoria as Governor-General of Canada in the year 1876?

When the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company, under the management of George Courtenay, put on twenty-five-cent fares to Shawnigan Lake, and Mr. Dunsmuir stated it was the first year the roadbed had a credit balance?

When the German ship Halstead, after loading a cargo at Esquimalt, moved out into the harbor and dropped her anchor in waters reserved for ships of the British Navy? The admiral immediately sent a request for the ship to be moved into waters outside the prohibited zone. The captain ignored, or was slow to carry out, the request, when to his surprise his ship was boarded by a body of bluejackets and treated to a little British efficiency, and his vessel shifted into the waters previously designated. A day or two later the ship sailed for her destination with one of the largest cargoes of canned salmon ever to leave British Columbia, and before completing her voyage was posted by Lloyd's as missing.

This incident which happened in court here at the time wigs were worn by judges and lawyers? One day, Mr. Justice Crease ordered the window over the jury box to be opened. Mr. Thomas Storey was one of the jurors. He was bald and the wind was cold. He ordered the window closed, which action was disapproved of by the judge. Mr. Storey said to the judge: "You, my learned friend, have something on your head; I haven't anything; it's all inside." The window remained closed.

Prince of Wales Thrice Thrown In Steeplechase

BROMSGROVE, Eng., March 31.—The Prince of Wales rode in two steeplechases today, was thrown three times and gave up the race. The Prince came a cropper at the fourth fence, but remounted and continued. On the second time around he fell at the same fence, but decided that he had had enough for that race anyway.

Undaunted by the condition of the course, which was sodden with water from heavy rains, the Prince started in the second race in which he had entered.

But the jinx still was with him and at the same old fourth fence he fell again. The Prince caught his horse, remounted and finished the course amid wild cheers.

Today's races were at the Harkaway Club meet at Chaddsleley Corbett.

TO ADDRESS BROTHERHOOD

At the next meeting of the Metropolitan Brotherhood, which will be held in the schoolroom at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, an address will be given by Mr. W. T. Straith on the subject of "Technical Schools." The brotherhood invites visitors to attend this meeting. Opportunity will be given for a brief expression of views from any who wish to speak.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Horticultural Society will be held in the City Hall on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Mr. Norman Rant, F.R.H.S., will address the society on "Rock and Alpine Plants." Anyone interested is invited to this meeting.

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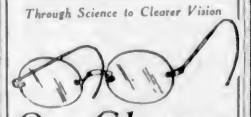

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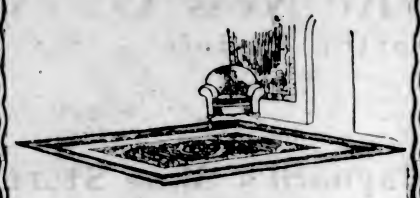

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CLUB TO HOLD DINNER DANCE

KIWANIANS WILL STAGE EVENING FETE IN CRYSTAL GARDEN ON TUESDAY

Rev. H. P. L. Luttrell, of Toronto, to Be Speaker at Gyro Club's Luncheon Tomorrow

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club, Chamber of Commerce Cafe; luncheon, 12:10 p.m.

MONDAY—Kumtuks Club, Spencer's private dining-room; luncheon, 12 noon.

MONDAY—Ye Loyal Knightes of Ye Rounde Table, Empress Hotel private dining-room; supper, 6 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, Crystal Garden; cabaret dinner dance, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY—Y's Men's Club, Y.M.C.A.; supper, 6:15 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club, Empress Hotel ballroom; luncheon, 12:10 p.m.

FRIDAY—One Hundred Per Cent Club, Dominion Hotel; luncheon, 12:45 p.m.

The Victoria Kiwanis Club will hold a cabaret dinner dance on Tuesday evening in the Crystal Garden, commencing at 7 o'clock. This gathering is planned as a big get-together session, an attractive programme is being arranged and members are invited to bring their ladies and friends. There will be no luncheon meeting of the club on Tuesday, owing to the fete in the evening.

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HOW IT BEGAN

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ADMIRAL'S CONDUCT

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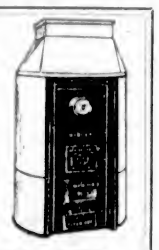

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Commander Daniel pleaded not guilty on four charges, broadly accusing him of breaches of naval discipline in writing and reading publicly remarks calculated to bring Rear-Admiral Bernard S. Collard, his superior, into contempt.

Hearing of charges against Captain Kenneth G. Dewar on similar charges will follow conclusion of the Daniel case.

HOW IT BEGAN

Delving into the mysterious background of the entire incident, a letter was read into evidence indicating that Admiral Collard was not satisfied about arrangements Commander Daniel made for his landing from the Royal Oak in Malta. A barge which the admiral had requested did not appear when he wanted it because the commander considered the wind and waves too strong. The admiral thereupon became very angry and ordered Commander Daniel personally to arrange the matter, the commander bringing the barge alongside against his own judgment. It was alleged in the letter that Admiral Collard told Captain Dewar in the presence of some seamen that he was "fed up with the ship."

ADMIRAL'S CONDUCT

Captain Dewar was disgusted with such insulting behavior, continues the letter, but Commander Daniel was not personally insulted. However, he believed that maintenance of morale and discipline of the ship was the commander's duty and considered the admiral's conduct prejudicial to discipline especially along wardroom officers. Therefore, he felt obliged to take action.

Rear-Admiral Collard gave brief testimony before the lunch adjournment after which a letter written by Captain Dewar to Vice-Admiral Kelly was read. In this letter, it was alleged that Admiral Collard became excited at a dance on board the Royal Oak, said that he had never heard such noise in his life, used abusive language to the bandmaster and stated he "would not have such a beggar on the ship."

S.P.C.A. ROOMS

The Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has opened a prettily appointed clubroom at No. 40 Arcade Building (upstairs), where members and animal lovers may enjoy the privileges of meeting. The room is equipped with writing materials, reading matter in current periodicals, and facilities for afternoon tea and rest. A tag day has been granted the S.P.C.A. for May 5. Children and those interested in the society and its humane work will be gladly welcomed as taggers.

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Our appreciation for their efforts is very deep. The number of persons who have been exclusive users for six, eight, ten and twelve years, and the number who buy this good milk by the case is greater than even we had estimated.

The letter in full:

A Man Wrote It

Hunt Road,
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March 8, 1928.

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COL. PECK AND MR. HINCHLIFFE SPEAK AT SOUTH PENDER AND MAYNE ISLANDS

Conservative Nominating Convention for Lillooet Set on Wednesday

Campaigning in anticipation of the forthcoming election Col. Peck, member for the Islands, assisted by Mr. J. Hinchliffe, member for Victoria, held successful meetings on South Pender Island and Mayne Island last week. At the former gathering Mr. Spaulding presided, and Commander Maude at Mayne Island.

Both speakers received enthusiastic receptions, as they described the details of the late session of the Legislature and the subjects discussed.

Mr. Hinchliffe will leave on Tuesday for Squamish, where the nominating convention for the Lillooet riding will be held on Wednesday, when the Conservative party will select a candidate to oppose Mr. A. E. Munn, M.P.P.

EGG QUOTATIONS SHOW DECREASE

Prices at City Market Show a Three-Cent Decline From Those of Last Week

A further decline in egg prices and a large crowd of buyers featured the city market yesterday morning.

The top figures offered by the majority of the stallholders were: Specials, thirty-five cents; extras, thirty cents; firsts, twenty-eight cents, and pullet extras, twenty-five cents, a decrease of approximately three cents to the dozen in each grade. The poultry prices recorded were: Hens, from thirty to thirty-five cents; chickens, forty-five cents; fowl, thirty to thirty-five cents; ducks, forty-five cents. These prices are practically the same as last week.

Progressing Spring again was evident in the improved volume and appearance of early produce such as flowers, vegetables and fruits.

The florists' stands were bright and attractive. Daffodils were still cheap and plentiful. They were selling at ten cents a dozen, and at some places three dozen for twenty-five cents. The usual run of cut flowers and potted plants were again in evidence; chief among the former were carnations, tulips, and lilies, and of the latter cyclamen, carnations, violets, lilies, genesta and stocks.

The vegetable supply was heavy, and no changes were recorded, while the meat and fish sections were busy throughout the day. The usual high quality of meat was in evidence. White and red salmon were selling at twenty-five cents a pound, while cod fillets were fifteen cents per pound. Halibut appeared reasonable at twenty-five cents a pound.

First Navvy: "Well, poor old Bill's gone."

Second Navvy (scornfully): "Poor, indeed, luckiest bloke in the market. Couldn't touch nuthin' without it turned to money. Insured 'is 'ouse—burned in a month. Insured 'isself again' accidents—broke 'is arm the first week. Joined the Burial Society last Tuesday, and now 'e's 'opped it. I call it luck."

City & District

Captain Acheson Here—Captain Thomas S. Acheson, of the Canadian Pacific Railway agricultural department, Winnipeg, is in the city, having attended the Kamloops bull sale. He will remain here two or three days to carry on business with the Department of Agriculture officials.

Man Injured—Chong Tai, of 513 Fisgard Street, was struck down by an automobile driven by Mr. W. Hiller, of Colwood, on Government Street, near Fisgard Street, last night. He was taken to the first aid room and attended to until Dr. L. Holmes arrived. He had sustained a fracture of the left leg and was taken to the Jubilee Hospital.

Easter Sunday Service—Arrangements are progressing satisfactorily for the annual sunrise service at Mount Tolmie today week. The hour will be the same as hitherto, 7 o'clock, the time being set to permit street cars from the farthest terminii to reach the base of the hill at Mayfair Drive. The power service on the Mount Tolmie line is limited, so that it becomes a heavy drain when all cars are concentrated on that route, from the hospital north.

Save the Children Fund—The following donations were received by Mr. F. Landsberg, local treasurer of Save the Children Fund, for the period March 15 to 31: Anon, $1; O. M. Prentice, $10; Miss Harte, $2; Mrs. C. H. Bradshaw, $3; Mrs. T. Nelson, $2; F.S., $2; Mrs. M. G. Richardson, $3; Mrs. Plaskett, $10; and Well Wisher, $2; total donations of $35. Further donations will be gratefully recevied by Mr. Landsberg at 641 Fort Street.

Grand Patriarch to Visit—On Tuesday the grand patriarch of the Grand Encampment of British Columbia, I.O.O.F., G. F. Reimann, will pay his official visit to Vancouver Encampment No. 1, of this city. Special features are being arranged for the programme which will follow the business session. The I.O.O.F. orchestra will be in attendance during the evening and a banquet will bring the proceedings to a close.

Tobacco Industry—Department of Agriculture officials are advising Vancouver Island growers not to undertake tobacco production this year in view of the fact that British Columbia's 1927 crop is still virtually unmarketed. Ontario growers also have a big supply of tobacco still on hand. Until more satisfactory arrangements can be made for marketing the crop in Canada, it is felt that Island farmers would be foolish to grow tobacco at this stage, officials say.

Is Selling Flowers—Mrs. Cassidy, who is busy these days on the streets of the city selling flowers, advises that the money collected thus far is to be used for purchasing hot cross buns for the Orphans' Home, Children's Aid, Salvation Army, Friendly Help, T.B. Ward, Old Men's Home, Aged Women's Home and the solarium. The funds now being collected are for various philanthropic purposes and will be used to purchase eggs, as follows: Five dozen to the T.B. Ward, five dozen to the solarium, ten dozen to each of the other organizations.

First Negro: "Whaffo' you lookin' so unnecessary, Glutinous?"
Second Negro: "Ah feels like a dumb owl, Predicament."
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Women's Canadian Club, Tuesday, April 3, at 2:45, Empress Hotel. Speaker, George Deane, on the proposed technical school for Victoria.

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PICTURE FIELD STUDIED HERE

Mr. A. Hustwick, Hollywood Production Expert, Examines Possibilities for Industry in Victoria

FINANCING PROVES CHIEF DIFFICULTY

The possibility of establishing a motion picture industry in Victoria on a business basis has been examined from all angles during the past ten days by Mr. Alfred Hustwick, of Hollywood, who has been on a visit here. Mr. Hustwick has been connected with the industry since 1916, and since 1919 has been production expert of the Paramount organization at the West Coast Studios at Hollywood. He is also the author of "Motion Pictures, Today and Tomorrow," a series published two years ago, and the influence of which has since practically revolutionized the cinema industry.

A former Victorian who worked on the local press twenty years ago, Mr. Hustwick has a close acquaintance with British Columbia conditions. Associated with him in a proposal for the establishment of a film industry here are three other Canadians, each of whom is an expert in his particular line of employment with the Paramount organization.

Before leaving for Hollywood this morning, Mr. Hustwick gave a resume of his impressions gleaned during his visit, in the course of which he has had interviews with Dr. J. D. MacLean, the Premier, Mayor Pendray, members of the industrial committee of the City Council and a number of prominent citizens. Mr. Hustwick made the following statement to The Colonist:

"As you know I have been here for ten days surveying British Columbia as a potential field for motion picture making. I have avoided publicity for two reasons. I didn't want to prejudice the negotiations which our legal counsel is now conducting from Hollywood with interests in Eastern Canada and England, and I didn't want the motion picture world to know that I was considering production in this province, because, if my final decision was adverse to locating here, it would be the wrong kind of publicity for British Columbia.

NEED OF EDUCATION

"All my conferences with Mayor Pendray and members of the industrial committee of the City Council have been informal. The suggestion that a local syndicate should raise $100,000 to finance part of our programme was offered only as a basis of discussion. It was my belief that owing to the lack of motion picture financing arrangements through the banks of Canada, a condition that arises from the stringency of the Canadian banking laws and the lack of knowledge of picture making which exists in this country, that it would be possible for us to organize private resources to create some of the conditions under which pictures could be made here. I am now convinced that there are no financial interests in this province who will undertake to help in the establishment of a film industry here, and that the formation of a cinema financing corporation in this province will be impossible until some patriotic individuals have pioneered the field, demonstrated the certainty of profits and educated local financiers in the rather complex and somewhat adventurous business of lending money to film producers. When it has been proved that there is money to be made in a venture that, on the face, seems almost as speculative as promoting mining stocks, but is actually as legitimately a manufacturing process as the making of shoes or automobiles, plenty of funds will be available. For the present the producer who comes to British Columbia with a legitimate plan to establish a picture industry here must either obtain his capital from other sources or invite the public to aid him by the purchase of shares in a stock company organized to provide finances for at least part of his producing requirements. The prospect of raising money in this way does not appeal to me. I am a motion picture man, not a promoter. However, I am not prepared to say that, after a conference with my associates in Hollywood, we will not come here with a frank appeal for public support, asking in the public to match dollar for dollar with us in the hazardous enterprise of putting this province on the map, not only as a miniature Hollywood but as a loyal supporter of the Imperial movement to give British films their rightful place in the world markets.

DOOR NOT CLOSED

"Since there is no longer any necessity for secrecy, I want you to say for me that Mayor Pendray and the members of the City Council's industrial committee have cooperated with me in every way in an effort to work out some sound basis upon which I and my associates could operate here. They have demonstrated to me that they are fully awake to the tremendous publicity value of local picture making and eager to see that Victoria receives consideration by any producer who is interested in making pictures here. I have placed before them the results of my investigations in this province and have been cross-examined in a most intelligent and courteous manner by them. They have convinced me that, as individuals and as public officials, they are ready to co-operate with me to the fullest if I can devise a plan that will bring us together.

"Although I am leaving for Hollywood without being able to give any assurance that I will come back here, the demonstration of interest that has been shown by Mayor Pendray and the members of the industrial committee of the Council has convinced me that it would be unwise to close the door upon further negotiations. Apart from any other reasons I am drawn towards this city because it was once my home, because it holds many a dear friend of my former newspaper days and because it is so near to the sunny land that has offered me my greatest opportunities, and given me one of its loveliest daughters as my life companions."

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TOBACCO MARKET PROBLEM IN B.C.

VERNON, B. C., March 31.—Impossibility of putting the tobacco industry on a sound basis on grading by length of the leaf, which was the basis of the old contract, was stressed by A. J. Mann, Summerland, at the meeting of the British Columbia branch of the Canadian Society of Agriculturists in Vernon today.

Ben Hoy, Kelowna, said the Okanagan Valley has the highest yield per acre in Canada in the White Burley and Connecticut Havana tobacco. An expert from the South was in Vernon today offering to erect a factory for processing if he could get a five-year contract. He would have nothing to do with the 1927 crop. He wanted not length of leaf but quality.

W. T. Hunter, Summerland, was elected president.

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(Nikolay Vasilievitch Gogol, born about 1809 and died in 1852, was a well-known Russian novelist and humorist, as well as a writer of plays.)

There was a certain Russian official, short of stature, somewhat pock-marked, red haired and short-sighted, with a bald forehead, wrinkled cheeks and a sanguine complexion, who was called a titular councillor—he copied documents, letters and whatever was given him to copy, in the old-fashioned way with pen and ink, day in and day out. He was often made fun of and had jokes poked at him, but he lived through it, though now and then he did plaintively protest: "Leave me alone! Why do you insult me?"

All he did was make copies, word for word. Even when he went home at night he would copy something, if only for his own satisfaction. His sole equipment was quills and quires of paper and ink. He thought in long lines of handwriting on paper, and he talked like the official documents he copied.

It would be difficult to find another man who lived so entirely for his duties. It is not enough to say that he labored with zeal; no, he labored with love. In his copying he found a varied and agreeable employment. Enjoyment was written on his face; some letters were even favorites with him, and when he encountered these he smiled, winked, and worked with his lips, till it seemed as though each letter might be read in his face, as his pen traced it. If his pay had been in proportion to his zeal he would, perhaps, to his great surprise, have been made even a councillor of state. But he worked, as his companions put it, like a horse in a mill.

St. Petersburg, where this man worked, is very cold in the Winter. It is the enemy, this cold, of every poorly paid person. And this man, who copied all day, had an old threadbare cloak—its collar had been sacrificed to patch it here and there, and it was a terrible-looking piece of clothing. Others would not give it the dignity of the name cloak, and insisted that it was only a cape. This Winter, the man found that it would have to be patched some more—the shoulders were so thin that they were about to break through.

He went to a tailor hidden away in some cheap lodgings. This tailor had always done his work. If the tailor had had something to drink he was more reasonable in his prices than otherwise. But this time the moment was not opportune.

The tailor looked at the worn cloak. "It is impossible to mend it," he said. "It's a wretched garment. There is nothing to fasten the patches to. It is plain you must have a new cloak."

At the word "new" all grew dark before the poor man's eyes. He had no money for a new cloak. He earned only 400 rubles a year. He listened in daze as the tailor said a new one might cost 150 rubles! Where was the money to come from?

But as days went by and the tailor insisted, the man began to think about a new cloak. The price came down to the lowest figure, at eighty rubles. He had half the money already—for years he had put by a kopeck for every ruble he spent, till now he had forty rubles laboriously saved up. He was counting on getting forty rubles from the Government at Christmas, but that was already spent for past debts. Still, he might receive more than forty rubles—indeed, when the time came he received sixty, which put twenty more rubles toward the cloak.

Then he began to deprive himself. He went without his tea in the evenings, and burned no more candles for copying at home. In the streets he walked as lightly as he could, to save his shoes, and he gave his laundress as little to wash as possible. He got used to these things, and the money slowly accumulated for the cloak.

At last the money was ready, and he went shopping with the tailor. They bought some very good cloth, at a reasonable rate, and for lining they selected cotton stuff, so firm and thick the tailor said it was prettier and more glossy than silk. For a collar they got the best of catskin, which might be taken for marten at a distance.

The tailor worked at the cloak two whole weeks and charged twelve rubles for his labor. It was all sewed with silk, in small double seams. He delivered it himself, and put it on the poor clerk—a perfect fit. The man was delighted with it. He felt that it was worth all he had sacrificed to have it.

As he went to work, now, he was conscious, every second of the time, that he had a new cloak on his shoulders; and several times he laughed with inner satisfaction. In fact, there were two advantages—one was its warmth, the other its beauty. When he took off his cloak in the ante-room he confided it to the especial care of the attendant.

Everyone seemed to know that he had a new cloak. They came out to look at it and compliment him on it. They even said he ought to celebrate by giving a party. But he couldn't afford that, so one of the higher officials said he would make one of his parties a special occasion to christen the cloak. The poor clerk did not want to go, but finally consented.

On the way to that party was the first time the clerk had been on the streets at night in years. He especially liked walking abroad in his new cloak. He reached the party, found it dull very soon, with all the others playing at cards and forgetting him, and left, rather late, for home.

Then the calamity happened. Two ruffians stopped him, and one removed his cloak before he could cry out. The beautiful new cloak was gone—stolen! He told a police officer, but it did no good. He rushed home in a frenzy, spent a sleepless night, and sought the chief of police next day. Even that did not bring the cloak back, and, acting on the advice of a superior, he sought an official higher up. The interview was curt and unsatisfactory. The cloak did not seem a matter of great importance to these officials—except the poor titular councillor, to whom it was life and death.

The poor clerk was taken ill with a violent fever. The doctor could do nothing. He died, leaving only a bundle of goose-quills, a quire of white official papers, three pairs of socks, two or three buttons which had burst off his trousers, and the old cape.

This meek man went to his grave without having done one unusual deed, but to whom came at the end of his life, the brightness of a new cloak, which cheered him momentarily, and brought about his doom.

They learned, everyone, of his death. He was not mourned—another man readily filled his place. But his frantic endeavors to get his stolen cloak back had sent his name about official circles and a legend arose about him and the lost cloak.

The story went that on a certain bridge, late at night, the ghost of this poor clerk stood cloakless, and everyone who passed had his cloak snatched from him so that the specter could see if it fitted him and was his. Several people claimed to have lost cloaks in this way. The official who was so curt to the poor clerk one night even lost his, and after that, according to the legend, the ghost ceased his activities. Perhaps the official's cloak fitted the ghostly shoulders nicely.

The Tower of London Scene of Fire

The Tower of London was the scene of a fire recently which broke out in one of the towers of the historic structure. The flames were quickly extinguished and damage was confined to the top floor, used for offices.

POULTRY EXPERT MEETS OFFICIALS

Effort Will Be Made to Stage Third Egg-Laying Contest at B.C. Experimental Farm

Among the questions taken up with Mr. F. C. Elford, Dominion poultry husbandman, during his visit to this city last week, were provision for a new Dominion poultry inspector in the Interior to aid poultrymen in that section of the province, and also the establishment of an egg-laying contest at the Dominion experimental stations either at Summerland or Invermere similar to those carried on at Agassiz and Sidney.

Mr. Elford, who divided his time here between meeting provincial and Federal officials, and a visit to the Sidney Experimental Station, spoke highly of the fine birds sent to the show held in connection with the World's Poultry Congress last Summer at Ottawa, which had brought great renown to British Columbia breeders.

Since the event, pictures of Canadian poultry farms and birds had been appearing in some of the largest poultry journals in the world, he explained.

Preliminary organization work for the fourth Poultry Congress, which will be held in London, England, in 1930, are now being made by Mr. Elford. He has appealed to British Columbia poultrymen to sustain the high record attained last year, and to facilitate personal attendance he announces special rates will be operative to the congress. Next year Mr. Elford will make a visit to various European countries on behalf on the event.

Crack Riders Will Compete in Penwell Cup Race on Friday

Several crack bicycle riders, including Jim Davies, of Vancouver, present holder of The Daily Colonist Cup, Stan Jackson, a former Victoria lad, and Bill Peden, have filed their entries for Penwell Cup race, which will be held on Good Friday morning at Beacon Hill. The event, which is over a ten-mile course, is proving to be one of the big sporting events of the holiday. Two other races will be held.

ROYAL CROWN USED AT BALLS

Managers of the Museum of History, of Dresden, Germany, have not fully recovered from the shock caused by the discovery that the Royal Polish Crown of August the Strong, which disappeared some time ago, has been used at fancy dress balls. At the time of the disappearance, the costly and highly artistic work of the goldsmith's art was minutely described in circulars which were broadcast. As a result the crown was found among a lot of costumes made for the society functions. It has been assigned a place of honor in the Dresden museum.

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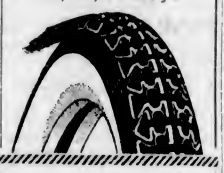

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HISTORY OF OPERA GIVEN IN FRENCH

Mme. Sanderson-Mongin Addresses l'Alliance Francaise at Victoria College—Illustrations

The history of opera, with charming vocal illustrations, formed the subject of last evening's meeting of l'Alliance Francaise at Victoria College, Mme. Sanderson-Mongin being the lecturer, and Mrs. B. T. Drake and Mr. F. Waddington the soloists, Mr. Ira Dilworth playing the accompaniments. Mme. George Halet presided.

Mme. Sanderson's recital began with the simple early forms of opera in the sixteenth century, when the idea was first conceived of putting stories to music. The pioneer in opera composing was the father of the famous Galileo, and about the same time came Peri and Monteverde, the latter chef d'orchestre and protege of Duc de Mantua. The experiment of orchestra with voice was so new at that time that when Monteverde's first work was produced the audience was definitely startled, but the innovation proved popular and requests came from all over Italy for similar entertainment, the result being that shortly musicians in Florence and Italy began to imitate.

From Italy the fashion spread to France, carried thither by the famour Lully, and supported by Louis XIV, Cardinal Mazarin, and others. Opera became the vogue also in England, encouraged by Charles II, and by such composers as Humphreys and Purcell. The German Handel, who has studied with Scarlatti in Italy, developed the opera idea along still other lines. Rameau and Gluck were mentioned by the lecturer as belonging to about the same period, a time which saw the subversion of the music to the singer or actor. The ballet, pronounced by critics "a paradise for the eyes, an inferno for the ears," was another development. The opera bouffe of Italy, which became the opera comique of France, and comic opera of England, was a development of the light divertissements which were originally placed between the acts of more serious opera.

Opera in the modern sense saw its beginnings in Gluck's "Orfeo et Euridice," which broke away from the more strictly conventional form into a mode more original. Among the great names which the lecturer mentioned were Cherubini, Bolldieu, Aubert, Halevy, Meyerbeer, Bizet, Donizetti, Delibes, Massanet, Debussey. Special reference was made to Mozart's delightful works, the grandly orchestral opera of Wagner, Weber, Offenbach, Saint-Saens, Puccini, Mascagni, and the prolific Gounod and Verdi, and in conclusion very brief mention was made of some of the famous opera houses, La Scala, Milan; San Carlo, Naples; The Opera, Paris; Covent Garden, London, The Metropolitan, New York; Wagner's Opera at Bayreuth; Moscow, Petrograd, etc.

Mrs. Drake gave beautiful interpretations of Siebel's "Le Parlate d'amor," from Gounod's "Faust;" "Habanera," from Bizet's "Carmen;" "Mon Coeur s'ouvre to Voix," from Saint-Saens' "Samson et Dalila;" and an aria from Massenets "Le Cid." Mr. Waddington sang the "Bois Epais" by Lully very artistically.

Lonesome for her calf, a cow being driven along Main Street, Penrhyndeudraeth, Wales, stopped at every open door and vociferously called for her offspring. She entered a photographer's shop, was driven out, then invaded a hotel and walked straight to the bar. She was soon ejected, but not until she tried to enter the parlor. Meanwhile another cow left her herd and climbed three flights of stairs in a tenement.

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Devilled Pineapple

Six hard-boiled eggs cut lengthwise, mix the yolk with a cup of crushed pineapple, salad dressing and salt. Pile the mixture on the eggs and serve on a lettuce leaf with mayonnaise.

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Prune Souffle

Whites of five eggs, six tablespoons of sugar, sixteen large prunes which have been stewed until soft, and put through a strainer. Beat the whites until stiff, adding the sugar, then whip-in the prunes. Bake for forty minutes. Serve with cream or custard.

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Nut Bread

Two eggs, one cup of sugar, one teaspoon of salt, two cups of sweet milk, four cups of flour, four teaspoons of baking powder, one cup of chopped walnuts. Let rise for twenty minutes and bake for forty minutes.

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Meat Loaf

One pound of steak minced, half a pound of minced bacon, one cup of breadcrumbs, one egg, salt and pepper. Mix well and put into a mold. Let steam for three hours.

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Vegetable Curry

One tin of Campbell's vegetable soup, one teaspoon of curry powder, a little Bovril to brown the curry, one teaspoon of Worcester sauce, a handful of currants and raisins and a few prunes, a little gravy or stock. Cook in a frying pan for half an hour and serve on a dish surrounded by boiled rice.

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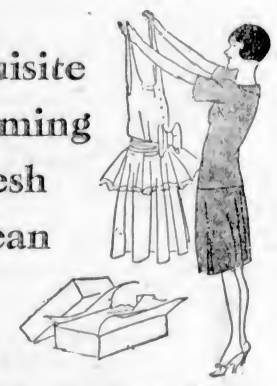

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Farewell Party

A delightful evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cameron, 1555 Pembroke Street, when a few of their friends gave a surprise farewell party for Mr. J. A. Cameron, who is soon leaving for Saskatchewan. The time was spent in music, cards and dancing. Mrs. A. Campbell won the ladies' first prize and Miss Gladys Cameron the consolation prize; Mr. A. Huxtable won the gentleman's first prize, and Mr. J. Cameron gentleman's consolation. The self-invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. H. Price, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kennaird, Mr. and Mrs. U. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald, Mr. and Mrs. A. Huxtable, Mrs. F. Jeune, Mr. A. Jones, Mr. T. Simmons and Miss J. Davidson.

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Tea at Colwood

The members of the Commodore Broughton Chapter, I.O.D.E., gave a tea at Colwood Golf and Country Club yesterday afternoon, when their guests included friends who had entertained them and assisted with their activities during the past year. Lovely daffodils in green glass bowls were used in the decoration of the tea table. Those present included: Mrs. R. B. McMicking, Mrs. George Bucklin, Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, Mrs. G. Michaelis, Mrs. McLachlan, Mrs. Brian Drake, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mrs. Reid Kingham and Misses Helen Starr, Betty Savannah, Velma and Adele Buckiin, Jean McLachlan, Dorothy Morton, Eleanor Robertson, Laura Balke, Lucille Hall, Elsa Michaelis, Carol Tolmie, Doreen Drummond-Hay, Norma Pendray.

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Bridge Party Given

Mrs. D. V. McGary, assisted by the Ladies of the Royal Purple, gave a very enjoyable bridge party recently at her home, 646 Hillside Avenue, in aid of the Solarium fund. Mrs. C. A. Steele won first prize, Mrs. McNiven second, and Mrs. Roberts third. Among the many guests were Mesdames J. Fry, C. A. Steele, Goodhue, Bowden, Bingham, Harris, A. W. Bradley, Knowles, Green, C. McConnell, Menendez, Hillier, J. Peden, Warder, Josysh, B. Pettingell, F. Norton, Honor, Newcomb, Shore, Semple, Meiss, D. W. Carter, H. Elworthy, Grant, N. E. Thomson, Reid, McDonald, Champion, Collings, H. Brown, Meldram, Gorman, Armstrong, Lemne, McLagan, Bean, Burnes, G. Johns, Gillis, Shrimpton, Williams, Powell, MacLean, W. G. McLaren, S. Jones, McNiven, Roberts, Miss Craig and Miss Penwill.

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Dinner Party

A dinner party was held at the Douglas Hotel last night by Mrs. Amy Whitby in honor of Mrs. M. E. Corin. A bouquet of flowers was presented to Mrs. Corin by little Miss Amy Whitby. The guests included Misses A. Haydock, V. Houge, P.S. Sturgess, E. Catterall, M. Dewat, D. Wolfe, L. Elves, B. Stewart, A. Whitby, Mrs. Nearne, and Messrs. F. Mallan, J. Noble, K. Sullivan, B. Brown, A. Fleming, G. Stewart, G. Sturgess, B. Houser, of Seattle, B. Thompson, H. O'Neill and A. Spouse.

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Children's Party

An enjoyable party was held at the home of Mrs. Preston, 454 Superior Street, on Friday, in honor of the eighth birthday of her daughter, Patricia. The evening was spent in dancing, singing and games. The invited guests were Mrs. J. Barnes, Miss Huddard, Mrs. Fenwick, Jean Fenwick, Joan Fenwick, Ella Watson, Evelyn Watson, Gracye Cooper, Nellie Tickle, Nora Wilkerson, Midget Fitzgerald, Stanley Prior, Charles Enderton and Jock Fenwick.

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Leave for South

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Berrill left for Seattle yesterday afternoon and are going to motor to California, returning by the Admiral Line. During the trip south Mr. Berrill intends studying the latest developments in design and building construction in the south, as well as seeing several clients who expect to build in Victoria within the next year.

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Leave for East

Bishop and Mrs. Brewing, of Toronto, left by the afternoon boat yesterday. They have been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Laundy, at Oak Bay, for a week, and will be in New Westminster for a month before leaving for the East. They visited the naval dockyard at Esquimalt on Friday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Withers.

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Announce Engagement

The engagement is announced of Gwendolyn, second daughter of Mrs. A. I. Price and the late Mr. Ernest A. Price, of Quamichan, Duncan, B.C., to Mr. Lewis Henry Margetts, only son of the late Mr. L. H. T. Margetts and Mrs. F. W. Lawson, of Surrey, England. The wedding will take place at St. Peter's Church, Quamichan, on April 17.

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Engagement Announced

The engagement is announced of Monica Mary, youngest daughter of the late Walter Harley Fanning and Mrs. Harley Fanning, 349 Foul Bay Road, Victoria, to Mr. Douglas Forbes, of Cowichan Bay, only son of Major-General Arthur Forbes, C.B.C.M.G., and Mrs. Forbes. The marriage will take place in the Autumn.

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Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. H. Watson, 633 Belton Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Margaret Dorothy, to Mr. Frederick Stephen, son of Mrs. Williams and the late Mr. S. Williams, of Annandale, B.C. The wedding will take place in April.

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Leaving for California

Mr. L. Ashburnham, of Cowichan Lake, will leave this morning for California and will return with his daughter, Miss Doreen Ashburnham, who has been spending several weeks in the South.

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At Beverley Hotel

Guests at the Beverley Hotel include Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Thornbery, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. McLeod, Seattle; Rev. S. W. Scott, Mr. J. Deady and Miss E. Richardson, Victoria.

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Gone to Alert Bay

The Archdeacon of Columbia left on Friday for Alert Bay, where he will take a mission during Holy Week. From here he will proceed via Hardy Bay to visit the Northern mission.

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At Devonshire House

Guests at Devonshire House include Mrs. Tantz, Duncan; Mrs. Todd and Mrs. McIlroy, Vancouver; Mrs. Stubbs and Mrs. Scholly, Cowichan.

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Leave for East

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Flumerfelt left today for the East. They expect to be absent about a month visiting Montreal, Toronto and other points.

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Visitor Entertained

Mrs. Harry Bullen, St. Charles Street, was hostess at a dinner party last night in honor of Mrs. Hammitt Hill, of Ottawa.

Notable Families United at Ottawa Wedding

THE marriage of Miss Phyllis W. Y. Lin to Shih Cheng-Liang at Ottawa united representatives of two of the most prominent families of the moderate Republican party in China and heirs of two old aristocracies of Peking and Fuchow. The bride is a sister-in-law of the Chinese Consul-General in the Dominion capital and is a graduate of Pennsylvania University, as is also the groom. The latter is the oldest son and heir of Liang Chi-chao, the man who after thirteen years of exile overthrew the last of the Manchus and with Sun Yat-Sen established the Chinese Republic. He is even more famous as China's leading intellectual, as the exponent of Western thought to China and as the man who, more than any other, influenced China to join the war on the side of the allies. The newlyweds are to honeymoon in Europe, where they will also do post-graduate university work. The illustration shows the bride in her wedding gown and a group scene taken at the wedding.

Mrs. de Pencier Is Re-elected Regent

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Mrs. A. U. de Pencier was re-elected to the regency of the Vancouver Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, at the first session of the twenty-fourth annual meeting, Friday afternoon. In her address as regent later in the meeting, Mrs. de Pencier stressed the educational and war memorial work of the order, in which all the chapters had taken part, and she quoted a slogan which came to her notice recently, as follows: "Loyalty to your city costs you nothing, but yields vast returns."

Think about it, she said, suggesting that it be applied to the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire.

Langford Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baskerville, of Salt Spring Island, were renewing old acquaintances in Langford this week.

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Mr. Strang has returned from the hospital in Victoria to his home on the Goldstream Road.

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Mr. F. A. Oak is making a very satisfactory recovery from the effects of his accident.

Royal Oak Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlss have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. Saunders and four children, of Rose Valley, Sask.

Mr. Saunders and family are locating in the district.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Last year wool crepe was one of the smartest materials used for sports wear. This year, a new and finer fabric threatens its popularity. It is known as wool georgette, and it lends itself most gracefully to the present mode.

The model pictured above is of this material in a warm shade of beige, which, incidentally, is going to be worn a great deal for Spring.

Rows of hand tucking and a skirt that is pleated all the way around, as well as softly tying collar, are the distinguishing notes of the frock.

Weddings

JONES—WHITTINGTON

A pretty wedding was celebrated last evening at the Metropolitan United Church, when in the presence of many friends, Rev. W. J. Sippreil, D.D., united in marriage Emlyn Doreen Whittington, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Whittington, Linden Avenue, and Dr. Horace Aubrey Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Jones, Pandora Avenue. Mrs. T. Oliver and friends of the bride had decorated the church very beautifully with masses of Spring flowers. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of taffeta and georgette, fashioned in picture style, the bouffant skirt with row upon row of tiny ruffles, and the bodice, of georgette, trimmed with taffeta. Her embroidered tulle and net veil was arranged cap fashion with a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses, lilies of the valley, white carnations and fern. The bridesmaid was Miss Victoria Gardiner, who was charming in a frock of cream Chantilly lace over pale pink, with bouffant skirt and trimmed with blue velvet. Her hat, of the same shade, was trimmed with French flowers and silver ribbon, and she carried pink carnations and delphiniums. Little Miss Kathleen Knott was a dainty flower girl in a peach georgette ruffled frock, and carried a basket of carnations and rosebuds. The best man was the groom's brother, Mr. Vernot Jones. During the signing of the register, Miss Myrtle Pegrum sang "O Promise Me." A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the bride and groom were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Whittington, wearing a gown of delft blue georgette and a French model hat, and Mrs. Jones, in a gown of rosewood georgette, with hat to match. The reception rooms were arranged with sweet peas and tulips, and the wedding cake held the place of honor on the supper table. The bride and groom left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, en route to Portland, the bride traveling in a frock of delft blue georgette, ornamented with diamente buckle, and a navy blue coat trimmed with black satin. Her hat was of blue and fawn.

TROWSDALE—MUNRO

A pretty wedding was celebrated on Friday evening, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, when Rev. J. S. Patterson united in marriage Ethel May Munro, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Munro, of Wellington, B.C., and Mr. Percy A. Trowsdale, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. P. Trowsdale, 631 Esquimalt Road, Victoria, B.C. The church was beautifully decorated with Spring flowers, ferns and palms by the Young Women's Auxiliary. The bride, who was given in marriage by her guardian, Mr. W. H. P. Trowsdale, looked lovely in a gown of white crepe de Chine and georgette, embroidered in silver and pearls. Her bridal veil was caught with a wreath of orange blossoms and white heather. She carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and Freesias. Miss Clara Whidden, of Duncan, B.C., made a pretty bridesmaid in a gown of shell pink georgette with hat en suite. She carried a bouquet of carnations and maidenhair fern. The groom was supported by his cousin, Mr. Owen Bevan-Pritchard. During the signing of the register Miss Jean MacGowan sang "Because." After the ceremony the bridal couple received the congratulations of many friends in the social hall of the church, standing under an arch of Spring flowers. A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. P. Trowsdale. The reception-rooms were artistically decorated with plum blossom, roses and daffodils by Mrs. A. Baines. The bride was assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. Trowsdale, mother of the groom. The supper table was centred by a three-tier wedding cake. The bride and groom left on the midnight boat for Vancouver. For traveling the bride wore a grey kasha ensemble suit with hat to match. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold and pearl brooch, to the bridesmaid a white gold bar pin set with amethysts, to the best man a pearl tiepin, to the ushers gold watch fobs and to the soloist a pin set with rubies and pearls. The couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Charles Arthur, Ladner, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. Forsyth and daughter, Race Rocks; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Laily and daughter, Estevan, B.C., and Mrs. Oas, Seattle.

Music at Cathedral

Special music for Palm Sunday will include the well-known hymn for the Sunday before Easter, and the anthem, "God So Loved the World," by Dr. Varley Roberts. A short organ recital will be given before evensong, commencing at 7 p.m., when the organist, Mr. Harold Davis, will play the following programme: Prelude in C Sharp Minor, Rachmaninoff; Aria in D Major, Bach, and Andante Cantabile, from the Sixth Symphony, Tschaikowsky.

OAKLANDS P.-T.A.

The monthly meeting of the Oaklands P.-T.A. will be held in the school auditorium tomorrow at 8 p.m. In addition to the regular business, the school choirs, which are competing in the musical festival will sing, and by the courtesy of the Canadian National Railways there will be motion pictures of places of interest throughout Canada, and principally in British Columbia. All parents and residents of the district are invited to present.

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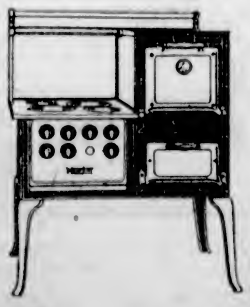

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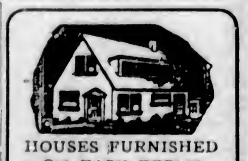

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Society Notes From Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Mrs. John Garvin, of Toronto, known throughout Canada as Katherine Hale, noted poetess, who has been spending some time at the Coast from the East, and recently visited Victoria, was the guest of honor at a reception held on Wednesday evening, when her hostesses were Mrs. F. C. Wade and her daughter, Miss Marjorie Wade. The guest of honor was introduced to the large assembly by Mr. Alison Hood, and during the evening she gave readings from her own poems as well as from several other modern poets. The supper table was presided over by Mrs. E. B. Clegg and Mrs. T. W. B. London. Among those present were Dean and Mrs. R. W. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bray, Miss Nichol, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Malkin, Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Gibson, Mrs. Hannington, Miss Frances Gatewood, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hossie, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Gatewood, Miss Isabel Russell, Mrs. Robert Bidlake, Mrs. J. C. Donald, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Minchin, Mr. and Mrs. John Erskine, Miss Florence Fyfe Smith, Mrs. Richmond Hamilton, Mrs. R. F. McD. Russell, Mrs. John Manning Scott, Mrs. W. E. Burns, Dr. and Mrs. W. Ainley, Mrs. Guy Marshall, Mrs. McMorran, Dr. Charles G. D. Roberts, Mr. Garfield King, Mrs. Pollough Pogue, Mr. Mills, Dr. George Lamont, Mrs. Charlotte Gordon, of Calgary, Mr. Abercrombie, and Major Harvey, of London, England.

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For Miss Armour

Miss Kitty Armour was the honored guest at a handkerchief shower given on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Geoffrey Kindersley at her home at West Vancouver. The prettily appointed tea table was presided over by Mrs. Leslie Cameron. Those present were Mrs. Duncan Bell-Irving, Mrs. Gordon Farrell, Mrs. Blake Manning Wilson, Mrs. Ernest Rogers, Mrs. H. H. B. Abbott, Mrs. Jack Burns, Mrs. Don MacDonald, Mrs. Noel Graves, Mrs. Claude MacAlpine, Mrs. Stewart Armour, Miss Phoebe Senkler and Miss Kay Farrell.

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Luncheon Hostess

Miss Marion Harris entertained at a luncheon party on Thursday in compliment to Miss Helen Swaisland, and her sister Miss Margaret Swaisland. Invited guests were Miss Mary Proctor, Miss Ursula Malkin, Miss Beatrice Merritt, Miss Betty Boultbee, Miss Caroline Barrett-Lennard, Miss Elizabeth Silbernagel, Miss Joan Creer, Miss Jean Coulthard, and Miss Margaret Whitcomb.

The same evening Miss Elizabeth Tripp entertained for the two sisters at bridge when her guests were Miss Jean Coulthard, Miss Margaret Macaulay, Miss Margaret Craig, Miss Sophie Langley, Miss Margaret Halse, Mr. Roy Mackle, Mr. Bruce Forbes, Mr. Robertson Noble, Mr. Godfrey Bahr, Mr. Toby Hodgins, Mr. Herbert King, Mr. Jack Halse and Mr. Bert Blair.

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Tea Hour Hostess

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. J. L. Davidson entertained at the tea hour at her home on Matthews Avenue. Guests were Mrs. Frank Pierce, Mrs. Hendrie Leggat, Mrs. Walter Walsh, Mrs. Dickson Hopcraft, Mrs. Thompson, of Toronto, Mrs. J. C. Ross, Mrs. Leon Dreyfus, Mrs. Fred Tiffin, Mrs. Graham, of New Brunswick, Mrs. J. D. Bell, Mrs. Henshaw, of India, Mrs. W. Hodge, Mrs. A. E. Griffin, Mrs. P. A. McLennan, Mrs. Gray, of Los Angeles, Mrs. Frank Harrison, Mrs. Allson Cumming, Mrs. Redmond Hamilton, Mrs. Angus Stewart, Mrs. W. E. Burns, Mrs. S. D. Brooks, Mrs. Herbert Wood, Mrs. J. W. Kerr and Miss Eva Springer.

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Honors Visitor

Mrs. Harold Robertson entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Herbert Robertson, of Fort George. Mrs. Herbert Hulme and Mrs. Mayne Daly Hamilton presided at the tea table.

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From Alkali Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Wynn Johnson, of Alkali Lake, have arrived in this city and are guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. C. Woodward.

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Piano solos were given by Misses Vera Jeune, Cathie Denison, Doreen Mills, Beth Taylor, Lily Putman, May Thompson, Kathleen Brown, Bessie Waterhouse and Helen Riley, also by Albert Yule, Bobbie Taylor and Ralph Moore. Ruth Campbell Stanton, of Seattle, a former pupil of Mrs. MacGovern, gave two interesting compositions. The duets by Mary Thompson and Kathleen Brown were particularly pleasing and were delivered in splendid style.

Vocal solos by Miss Stella Burlton and Jack Moore, and recitations by Miss Betty Stoddart added variety and color to the programme. Miss Burlton gave two excellent numbers and responded to an encore, as did little Betty Stoddart, whose recitations were unusually well delivered.

Altogether the evening was an unqualified success, and Mrs. MacGovern was congratulated on the excellent results of her efforts.

Miss Doreen Mills, representing Mrs. MacGovern's pupils, presented her with a beautiful bouquet of carnations and sweet peas, as a token of their appreciation of her work. Another was presented by Miss Inez Jeune for the Parent-Teacher Association of the North Quadra School, who sponsored the affair.

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Pianoforte Students Heard in Recital

A number of the students studying under Professor Stanley Shale, A.R.A.M., were heard in a most delightful pianoforte recital at the Dominion Academy of Music on Friday evening. Astonishing progress and improvement have been made since these young students were last heard. The programme consisted chiefly of compositions of the great masters, Bach, Beethoven, Chopin, Schubert, Schumann, Mosart and Brahms. Interpretation, rhythm, technique and good tone production were evinced. Particularly beautiful was the rendering of the last movement of the Schubert "Sonata in A," by Andrew Wood, L.A.B., who responded to an encore with the Debussey "Minstrels." Mention must also be made of the Schumann "Novelette in F," played by Evelyn Harper, a wonderful performance. Little Maryon Peterson amazed her audience; this small student undoubtedly has a brilliant musical career before her.

The programme was in the hands of the following: Roy Gibbs, Elsie Friend, Evelyn Harper, Mary Glendinning, Dorothy Johnson, Miss Sawbridge, Maryon Peterson, Ella Beverage, Miss Bonshor, Gwen Gardener, Sylvia Bayden, Marie Adamson and Audrey Wood, L.A.B.

Teacher: "Try this sentence: 'Take the cow out of the field'. What mood?"

Women's Clubs and Societies

Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The monthly meeting of the Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held in Matthews Hall, Sidney, on Thursday afternoon. The regent occupied the chair and opened the meeting, at which there was a large attendance. The secretary, Mrs. Rochfort, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were adopted, and the financial and other reports were found most satisfactory. Regular routine business was disposed of and six new members were welcomed, Mrs. Lambert, Mrs. Jock Anderson, Mrs. Parry, Mrs. Fraight, Mrs. H. Horth and Miss Meikle, and one new member proposed. At the conclusion of the meeting a very delightful "At Home" was held, the members of the chapter greeting a large number of friends and visitors. The reception-room had been beautifully decorated with a profusion of Spring flowers and foliage, and in the dining-room, where tea was served, bouquets of daffodils and hyacinths were used. During the afternoon, Miss A. B. Cooke, provincial educational secretary, gave a most inspiring address on "The Aims and Objects of the Order," which was much appreciated. Miss Helen Starr, of Victoria, delighted the audience with two solos, after which a report was given of the work of the chapter during the past four years. Mrs. H. K. Prior, treasurer of the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., also addressed the members and guests.

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Presbyterial Executive

The monthly meeting of the United Church presbyterial executive met at Metropolitan Church on Friday, with Mrs. Hood presiding. Mrs. Geo. Guy led the devotionals. Reports were given from different departments, all showing interest steadily growing in the work. Miss Beattie, secretary of mission bands, reported a reorganized band at Alberni School and a new band formed at St. Aidan's Church. Mrs. W. G. Wilson was appointed on the finance committee of the Vancouver board.

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Whist Drive

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Buckley, 2415 Fernwood Road, a whist drive was held last evening in aid of the A.O.F. Juveniles, twelve tables being in play. The prize-winners were: Ladies—First, Mrs. Jones; second, Mrs. Duplain; third, Mrs. Brown; fourth, Miss Z. B. Lalonde. Gentlemen—First, Mr. Nunn; second, Mr. Johnston; third, Mr. Laycock; fourth, Mr. Wright. Refreshments were served after the card game, after which songs were rendered by Mrs. G. Pownall.

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Women's Conservatives

The next regular meeting of the Victoria Women's Conservative Association will be held on Monday in the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building. Each member is invited to add to the meeting by bringing up some important political topic or question on which a two-minute discussion will be allowed.

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Florence Nightingale Chapter

The Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold its monthly meeting on Monday at the Victoria Club, at 2:30 p.m. At the close of the meeting a silver tea and programme will be given, to which the public are invited.

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Friendly Help

The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the rooms, in the Market Building, Cormorant Street.

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Camosun Chapter

The monthly meeting of Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held at the home of Mrs. Sylvester, 1716 Fort Street, on Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.

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Marguerite Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held tomorrow at 8:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clifford Adams.

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Orphanage Committee

The monthly meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphanage will be held at the Home, tomorrow at 2:30 p.m.

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Esquimalt Chapter

The Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet tomorrow in St. Paul's Parish Hall at 3 o'clock.

Island Women Are Active in All Institute Plans

VICTORIA

A very enjoyable social meeting was held on Friday afternoon by the members of Victoria Women's Institute, in their rooms, 203 Union Building. Mr. W. T. Straith, of the Victoria Board of School Trustees, gave a short talk on the technical school, which will be voted upon next week, showing the need of this school, the way it would be financed, and the great benefit it could be to a great number of boys and girls who do not intend taking university courses. A hearty vote of thanks was given Mr. Straith at the conclusion of his interesting address. A programme of music, both vocal and instrumental, by Misses Snider and Brown, Mesdames McClellan and Terry, added much to the enjoyment of the afternoon. Many visitors from Royal Oak, Langford and the city were welcomed. A delicious tea was served by Mesdames Laird, Terry, Campbell, Roworth, McCoubrey and Latham. An attractive candy stall convened by Mrs. N. Brown was well patronized, and an Easter novelty stall by Mrs. F. W. Urquhart, where many pretty and useful articles found a ready sale.

ESQUIMALT

Esquimalt Women's Institute celebrated its seventh annual party on Thursday evening, at St. Paul's Parish Hall. The supper table was centred with a birthday cake, which was cut by Mrs. George Wise, the president, who gave a brief resume of the Institute's activities. The next social will be held on Tuesday, April 10, at St. Paul's Parish Hall.

LAKE HILL

The monthly meeting of Lake Hill Women's Institute will be held at 2:30 o'clock in the Community Hall. On Tuesday evening Mr. Terry will address the newly formed Poultry Club, and a cordial invitation to this meeting is extended to everyone in the district who is interested in poultry.

GARDEN CITY

Garden City Women's Institute held another of its popular card parties in Marigold Hall on Friday night. Nine tables of players took part in the five hundred game, and afterwards refreshments were served by the committee. The prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies—First, Mrs. Stapleton; ten bid, Mrs. Exton; consolation, Mrs. Cartwright. Men's—First, Mr. Berry; ten bid, Mr. Burow; consolation, Mr. Exton. The next party will be held on Friday, April 13.

On Thursday, the Garden City Women's Institute will hold its annual silver tea in the Marigold Hall from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. Dr. C. Wace, of the Solarium, will give an address. Grades Seven and Eight of McKenzie Avenue School will render two choruses under the leadership of Mr. C. Ozard. Other artists assisting will be Mrs. Jackson, contralto soloist, and Miss Pennock, who will dance. The accompaniments will be played by Mrs. Routley. Competitions and a tombola donated by Mrs. Sinclair are also included in the afternoon's programme. The proceeds of the tea will be given to the Solarium, and the committee in charge welcome all members, friends and visitors.

ROYAL OAK

The fortnightly card party of the local Women's Institute, held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. J. G. Nicholson, was well attended. Mrs. D. Greaves was hostess. Prize winners were as follows: Ladies, Mrs. W. E. Heal, Mrs. W. D. Coffey and Miss Hewerton; men's, Mrs. H. Milne, Mrs. G. Henderson and Mr. F. Cariss.

The next card party will be held on Thursday evening, April 12. When Mrs. C. E. Hersey will be hostess.

The rummage sale held on Saturday at 1430 Government Street, under the auspices of the Women's Institute, was well patronized, the various tables being practically sold of before noon. Miss Oldfield was in charge, assisted by ladies of the institute.

SIDNEY BRIDGE TEA

Mrs. H. Shade entertained at a delightful bridge tea at her home on Marine Drive, during the week, with five tables of cards, additional guests coming in at the tea hour. The tea table was very daintily arranged, centred with a large cut glass basket of daffodils and ferns and yellow tapers in glass sconces. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. W. Champion presided over the table, and Mrs. W. Whiting cut the ices. The invited guests included Mrs. W. Champion, Mrs. Cliff, Sr., Mrs. T. Cliff, Mrs. Warrender, Mrs. G. A. Cochran, Mrs. Dorothy Armstrong, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Homewood, Mrs. McNaught, Mrs. Whiting, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. McIntyre, Mrs. Simister, Mrs. Straight, Mrs. Ramsay, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mrs. Levack, Mrs. McNeil, Mrs. Mounce, Mrs. Jackson, Miss Rose Matthews and Miss Anna Cliff.

WINS MEDAL

Miss Isabel Thompson was the winner of the silver medal contest conducted under the direction of the Rockland Park W.C.T.U., it was announced on Friday evening in the Sunday schoolroom of the Metropolitan United Church. The other competitors were Miss Pauline Havard, Miss Louella Blakeway and Norman Clark. Vocal numbers were given during the evening by Miss Mollie Graham and Miss Evelyn Valiant and a monologue was read by Miss Ruth Haymen. By special request Mrs. Dearborn gave a humorous recitation with Mrs. Stone at the piano. Mrs. Laing presented the prize to Miss Thompson, and the judges were Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Mr. F. W. Laing and Mrs. Baker, a gold medalist in a recent New York musical festival.

H.B.C. EMPLOYEES' DANCE

The usual monthly dance, under the auspices of the Hudson's Bay Company store employees, will be held on Tuesday evening next. Dancing will commence at 9 and continue until 12 o'clock. This will be the last dance but one this season, the final dance of the series taking place on the first Tuesday in May.

COLWOOD PERSONAL

Mr. C. G. Walsh, who underwent an operation in the Jubilee Hospital on Friday last, is reported to be progressing favorably.

WHIST DRIVE

The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold a whist drive and dance at the Liberal headquarters, Broughton Street, on Tuesday, at 9 o'clock. Good prizes will be given and refreshments will be served. All the ladies are asked to bring refreshments, and all the young people are asked to attend.

GRADUATE NURSES

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Graduate Nurses will be held in Alexandra Club Rooms, on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

CLOVERDALE P.-T.A.

The Cloverdale P.-T.A. will hold a special business meeting on Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the school.

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Mrs. Gibson's Playing Treat For Easterners

Musical circles in Victoria will be interested in the following criticism from the pen of "E.J.R." which appeared in a Toronto newspaper of recent date:

"A fashionable but small audience gathered in the ballroom of the Royal Connaught Hotel last evening to hear Abraham Haitowitsch, the blind Russian violinist, who is making an initial tour of Canada. Mr. Haitowitsch has been blind since the age of two, and remembering his handicap, the difficulties encountered in studying music in the Braille, and the indomitable will and bravery of spirit required to overcome such obstacles and win through to success, this violinist's accomplishments were indeed notable, distinctive and wholly enjoyable.

"Mr. Haitowitsch's gifts, as revealed in his playing, appeared to be those of technique rather than temperament, as his interpretations were more or less conventional, lacking imagination and emotional feeling. But, throughout his programme, Mr. Haitowitsch played consistently well, with good intonation, precision, grace of phrasing and considerable tonal beauty and sweetness. He was heard to better advantage in his shorter numbers than in his Beethoven sonata, the Kreutzer, op. 47—adagio sostenuto (presto), andante con variazioni and finale (presto), which was beyond his interpretive powers. The sonata, his opening number, was followed by a group, which included Serenade Melancolique (Tschaikowsky), Variations (Tartini-Kreisler), Old Melody (Sinding), Indian Snake Dance (Cecil Burleigh), Poem (Fibich) Caprice Viennoise (Kreisler), Zephyr (Hubay), and the familiar Gipsy Airs (Sarasate), a Chopin nocturne, and Ave Maria (Bach-Gounod) were Mr. Haitowitsch's other offerings.

"But the recital did provide a surprise in the beautiful and artistic accompaniments played by Mrs. A. J. Gibson, of Toronto. Mrs. Gibson stood out as a pianist of insight, understanding, sympathy and certainty, possessing so much of both technique and temperament, that every one wished she had contributed a group, or even a single solo on her own account. Her playing of the Beethoven music won the audience at once by its artistry as well as by the gracious simplicity which characterized its rendition. Music lovers will look forward to hearing more of this accomplished pianist."

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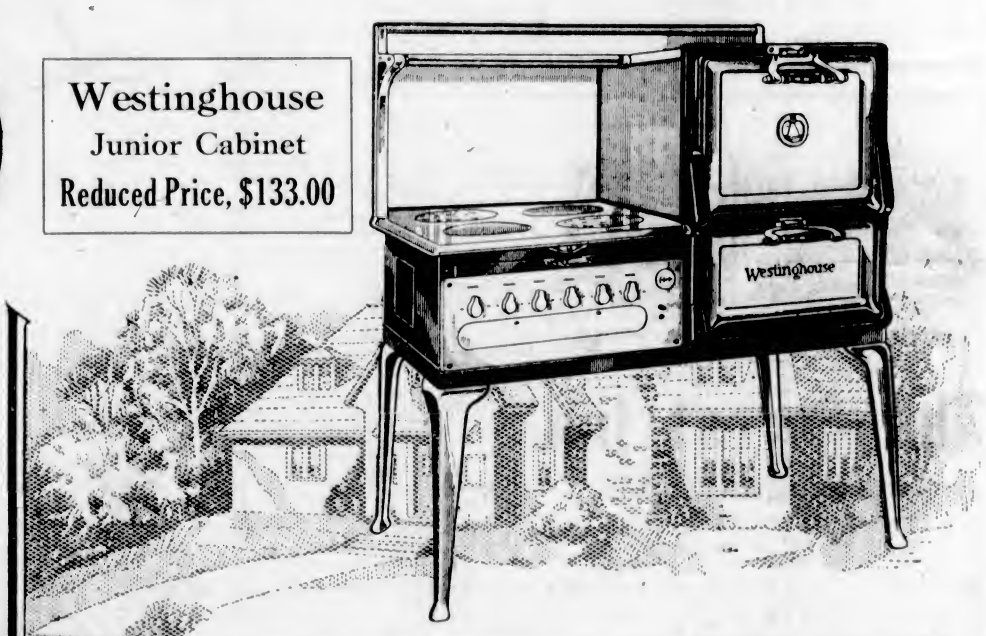

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Some Spring Novelties

Jumpers Specially Designed for Children Are Serviceable and Smart—Accessories Form Important Part of Wardrobe

Children's sweaters are to be seen in new models that have attractive designs for the borders and in the collars and cuffs. In those for smaller children these designs are taken from nursery rhymes and have different characters portrayed in various color schemes. In the two-year-old sizes, the sweaters have just a single figure worked out by hand in soft Angora on the front. Special attention has been paid to the neck treatments, some being finished in student fashion, some with "V's," others with square necks with a turn-back collar, and others with the regulation turtle neck. Some are made to fasten at the side with a row of pearl buttons, and others slip on over the head.

In the sweaters for juniors the waffle stitch is very popular at the moment, particularly in models for wear with sports skirts in either wool or silk. They are made up in new color combinations taken from the prevailing vogue in Chanel scarfs. For instance, navy blue is combined with bright red on a background of either ivory or beige, and again red is used with black and white. Green is also in favor, but with beige or grey, and touches of purple blue. In these sweaters neck treatments are very important, too, for most of them are worn over some type of blouse. Peter Pan collars, crew necks, a student finish, flat ovals and canoe shapes are also among the new necklines, as well as deep "V" lines that have a lacing in front.

On chilly Spring evenings at any of the resorts, or even in town, one will see fashionable women wearing the new three-cornered scarf that is made of sequins in coral, red, black, lavender or green. A mesh made of fine linen thread which matches the sequins is cleverly woven in, each sequin having four little holes through which the thread is run. For older women the design is worked out in black net and also in white china beads and black silk thread embroidery.

For those who prefer fluffy things the three-cornered scarf is shown in two and three layers of chiffon in blending colors or in a single strong color with an in-between layer in flesh tint. The edges are rolled and caught in place by heavy silk floss.

Handkerchiefs are again seen in a variety of colors, especially in those prevailing this Spring. They have been designed particularly to carry out the ensemble idea, which has taken hold of accessories. Those with three-tone borders with white centres are in big demand, for in this color scheme there is little fear of colors clashing. Others with white centres are shown with two-tone borders, using either dot or line designs. One of the new handkerchiefs has a novel hem treatment, the regulation straight hems having given way to a scallop effect, with about three scallops on each side of the handkerchief. The hem is in a contrasting color, but matches a hand-embroidered design appearing in one of the corners. These handkerchiefs are also made with white centres, but are to be shown later in colors to match the sports attire.

Black and white, although a difficult color scheme to handle because of its association with mourning wear, is now featured in new handkerchiefs which are very smart, especially when carried with the new navy blue and black costumes. White centres are used with scroll border designs in fine lines, dots and modernistic effects. Hems are either black or white, depending upon the amount of color required to complete the design.

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During the past week, progress in erecting the new Christ Church Cathedral has been most marked in the interior, particularly in the south aisle, where ten arches have been constructed between the aisle and the gallery. The springing of these arches is twenty-six feet above the floor, and the apex rises eight feet six inches higher.

On the other side of the aisle towards the nave, the centring is in place and six arches are in course of construction. These six arches will rise to a height of fifteen feet above the pillars supporting them, which stand twenty-six feet high, making the total height of each arch forty-one feet above the nave floor.

The work now in hand is not visible from the floor of the building, as it is being carried out on a substantial platform erected at a height of about twenty-five feet. This platform will be used at an early date for the centring of the vaulting ribs which will form the ceiling of the south aisle.

WEST FRONT RISING

At the west front, heavy scaffolding has been built in readiness for the requirements of special work on this portion of the building. While the central doorway and all around it is obscured from view, the upper part of the stonework reveals the top of the two niches presented by the workmen as their contribution to the first section of the cathedral. Both of these niches are now in position.

Above the level of stonework already built will be the text chosen for the central portion of the west end, bearing words taken from St. John's Gospel: "Jesus said, I am come that they might have life." Other scriptural messages referring to the life and work of Jesus Christ appear around the walling of the north and south aisles.

After the central text is finished, work will proceed on the building of the seven lower windows, above which will rise the large rose window.

SUBSCRIPTIONS COMING IN

The collection of funds to enable the work to be carried forward until the nave is completed, is being continued by city canvassers. Subscriptions sent by mail to the Memorial Hall and other contributions given direct to the treasurer, Sir Richard Lake, are supplementing the canvassers' efforts.

Donations were received last week from Duncan, Esquimalt, Port Alberni, Quamichan, Seattle and Vancouver.

April 17 Next Will Be League Of Nations Day

April 17 will be League of Nations Day throughout Canada, and the local campaign committee is determined to leave no stone unturned to put Victoria in the forefront when the tally for the day is made up at national headquarters.

The modest objective of 1,000 new members has been set for Victoria, but it is expected that that number will be passed and left far out of sight before operations cease for the day. The order to "step on the gas" has been issued and, if enthusiasm and a firm belief in the great service which the League of Nations Society is rendering in moulding public opinion for peace instead of war counts for anything, there will be an exhibition of high-power salesmanship that will carry all before it.

In addition to many prominent men and women, representatives of the following organizations are members of the campaign committee: Chamber of Commerce, Women's Canadian Club, Men's Canadian Club, Army and Navy Veterans, Loyal Orange Lodge, Teachers' Federation, Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, Canadian Daughters' Association, Local Council of Women, and the Y.W.C.A. Other bodies have promised to assist and all major organizations will be included before the week is out.

Pemberton & Son have given the use of an office at 333 Pemberton Building, and a typewriter has been loaned by the Underwood Typewriter Company. Bishop Schofield has promised to give every possible assistance, and other leaders of thought, endeavor and industry are rallying around the standard of peace.

Rev. Dr. Wilson will inaugurate the campaign on Monday at a meeting of the Women's Canadian Club when he will speak on "The League of Nations; Its Purpose and Accomplishments."

The campaign committee will be glad to receive suggestions for the conduct of the campaign, as it realizes that many interested citizens may be willing to assist with helpful ideas if they are invited to do so. Communications should be sent to Mr. Averhill, honorary secretary, 333 Pemberton Building.

The Mirror of the Mode

By MARY MARSHALL

A RECENT fashion observation received from Paris—which seems to me to be of more specific than general application—is that shoulder flowers are no longer being worn. The fact is that jeweled shoulder brooches have come into prominence and that at some gatherings of well-dressed women they are worn almost to the exclusion of the artificial shoulder flower. These jeweled and metal ornaments have the distinct advantage of not being mussed—and for theatre or restaurant wear are therefore preferable.

So far from having actually gone out of fashion, however, the shoulder flower has grown until it is no longer a mere blossom but a veritable vine, hanging down from the shoulder to the waist and sometimes down the back as well.

The shoulder flower has grown to a long trailing vine. This consists of a red metallic rose with green metallic leaves trailing down the side of the bodice.

An interesting shoulder ornament recently worn by a French actress of note consisted of a diamond-studded bowknot perhaps three inches across placed on the left shoulder with an identical ornament placed at the left hip.

These jeweled pins in pairs are very much admired at the present time. One clever jewelry set I saw the other day consisted of a pair of twin bracelets, a pair of earrings and two identical brooches. You may wear both bracelets on one arm or one on either arm, and the brooches you may wear one on either shoulder, one on the shoulder and the other four or five inches below it. For an afternoon frock the matching brooches may be worn one on the shoulder and the other as a hat ornament.

Jeweled or enameled buttons are among the new accessories and collectors of antique jewelry in Paris have recently had a brisk demand for all sorts of fine old jeweled or metal buttons. On some of the new frocks all the buttons in a row do not match. One jeweled button may head the line of plain gold ones or a single enamel button may appear in a row of plain ones.

Several of our readers have asked for a pattern-diagram of a little girl's frock and seeing any number of the new things prepared for late Winter and Spring we have sketched one for you this week. Send me a self-addressed, stamped envelope and I will send you the sketch with an adjustable diagram-pattern and directions for making.

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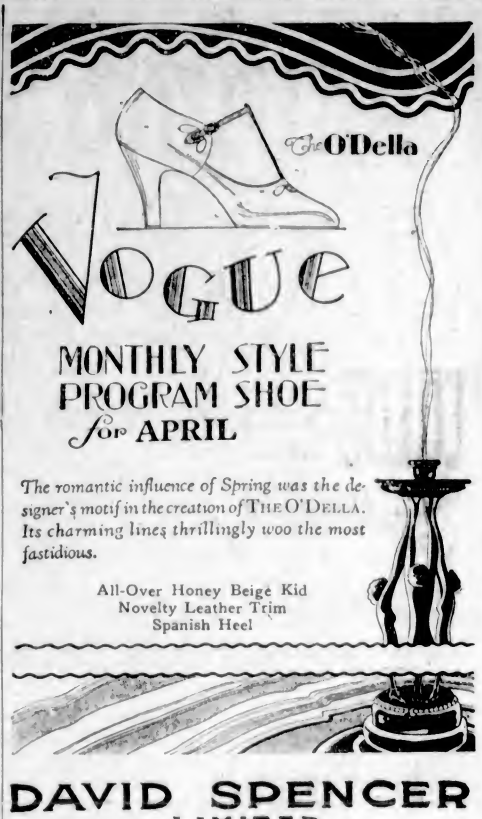
COLONEL MARTYN REQUIRED TO PAY

VANCOUVER, March 31.—By decision of Mr. Justice Morrison in Supreme Court, Donald B. Martyn, industrial commissioner, Victoria, is required to pay $1,000 damages and costs for assault.

Walter Hodgkinson, Davie Street, was awarded judgment against Colonel Martyn for $500 and costs; and, by arrangement between counsel, the same verdict will be entered for H. C. Dunn against the industrial commissioner.

The "assault" occurred September 30 last, when defendant evicted the plaintiffs from the premises on Granville Island of Asser Diesel Engines (1926), Limited.

It is understood that the judgment will be appealed by Martyn to the Court of Appeal.



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13,500 Wildly Excited Fans See Teams Battle

Two Major and Twenty Minor Penalties Are Handed Out During Brilliantly-Fought Hockey Struggle at Montreal—Thousands Clamor to Get Into Unreserved Seats

MONTREAL, March 31.—Canadiens and Maroons, Montreal's National Hockey League representatives, battled to a two-all draw in the first contest of their two-game series to decide which team will represent the Canadian Section of the National Hockey League in the Stanley Cup series against the winners of the United States Section. It was a gruelling, but brilliantly fought battle and was witnessed by close to 13,500 wildly excited fans.

Two major and twenty minor penalties were meted out by the officials during the fray which, while of a close checking nature, provided enough open hockey to make the game a brilliant spectacle. The penalties, however, played a major part in the game, as three of the four goals were counted while the team scored against was short-handed. Phillips and Leduc drew the major penalties in the third period for using their sticks on one another when the Maroon sub centre was attempting to crash through the red shirts' defence.

BENEDICT BRILLIANT

In territorial play an advantage could be conceded to the Canucks, but they could not capitalize owing to the brand of goal tending produced by the veteran, Benedict, between the Maroon posts.

At one time during the second period the Canadiens held a 2-0 lead by virtue of a goal by Leduc in the first period and one by Gagne in the second frame. Leduc scored on a pass from Gagne, when the Montreal Maroons were short two men. Gagne's goal was scored early in the middle frame on a rink-wide pass from the defence man, Herb Gardiner.

RUSH IN TWO GOALS

Ten minutes after Gagne's goal, the Maroons took advantage of a series of penalties to the Canucks and rushed in two quick goals to tie the score. Canadiens were two short at the time. Ward scored the first on a pass from Munroe, while Smith got the tying counter ten seconds later when he rushed alone to beat the unprotected Hainsworth. The third session was scoreless, although both teams had their opportunities. No reserved seats for the game were put on sale as all had been snapped up by season ticket holders. Standing room was quickly taken up early today while the line-up for bleacher seats started forming early this morning. By the time the doors opened at the rush end, thousands formed long lines around the building, all clamoring to get admittance to the "gods."

Tonight's game marked the seventh time that the two Montreal major league teams clashed this season. So far honors are even, each team having won and lost two, while two games were tied, during the league season.

CLINT BENEDICT

Goalie of the Montreal Maroons, whose brilliant display between the sticks proved to be a stumbling block for the Canadiens when they battled to a two-all draw in the first game of the Canadian play-offs for the right to meet the United States winners.

THE LINE-UPS

Montreal		Canadiens
Benedict	Goal	Hainsworth
Dutton	Defence	Gardiner
Siebert	Defence	Mantha
H. Smith	Centre	Morenz
Ward	Wing	Gagne
Stewart	Wing	Joliat
Munro	Sub	Gaudreault
Lamb	Sub	Leduc
Oatman	Spb	Larochelle
Phillips	Sub	Hart
Brown	Sub	Patterson
Walsh	Sub	Langlois

Referees—Rodden and Marsh.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Canadiens, Leduc, 10:10. Penalties—Joliat (2), Mantha, Dutton, Smith (2), Siebert (2), Morenz (2), Gardiner, Gagne, Lamb.

Second Period—2, Canadiens, Gagne, 3:55; 3, Montreal, Ward, 10:00; 4, Montreal, Smith, 20. Penalties—Siebert, Morenz (2), Oatman, Mantha, Gardiner.

Third Period—No score. Penalties—Phillips (major), Leduc (major), Dutton, Phillips.

Woman to Try to Break Endurance Swimming Record

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., March 31. — Mrs. L. Moore Schoemell, woman distance swimmer, went into the water at Deville Casino here at 9:23 a.m. today in an attempt to break the world's endurance record, which has stood for forty-eight years.

The record of 31 hours was set by Miss Edith Johnson in Blackpool, England, in May, 1880. Mrs. Schoemell expected to swim 32 hours until 3:23 p.m. tomorrow.

SCOTLAND WINS ANNUAL MATCH

Defeat England Five Goals to One in International Football Fixture at Wembley Stadium

GAME PLAYED IN RAINY WEATHER

LONDON, March 31. — Scotland defeated England, 5-1, in their fifty-second annual international soccer match played today. The series have been divided as follows: Scotland won 23; England won 15; with 14 drawn.

England made a great start, when Smith ran through the field, but he hit the post with his shot. The ball rebounded into play. Morton secured and bursting down the field centred beautifully to Jackson, who headed through. Play had only been in progress three minutes.

England returned a threatening attack and Smith looked like getting through. James relieved and was charged off the ball only a yard from the English penalty area. Jackson took the free kick, but Hufton cleared. James was not to be denied, and, returning again just before half-time, he put Scotland two goals ahead.

SCOTS DOMINATE PLAY

After play was resumed the Scots began to dominate. Within a few minutes they twice came near scoring. The English, however, came within an ace of pulling off a sensational play when a long centre by Smith just missed the Scottish goal. After twenty-one minutes, Hufton was well beaten by a fine header from Jackson, who turned Morton's centre into the net. Eight minutes later James scored.

Law stopped a dangerous looking dash by Dean. Jackson scored Scotland's fifth counter from Morton's fine corner. Kelly scored for England in the last minute on a free kick.

The game was played in dull, showery weather at Wembley. The teams:

Scotland—Harkness, Nelson, Law, Gibson, Bradshaw, McMullan, Jackson, Dunn, Gallacher, James and Morton.

England—Hufton, Goodall, Jones, Edwards, Wilson, Healless, Hulme, Kelly, Dean, Bradford, Smith.

Bill Cissell, the costly rookie of the Chicago White Sox Baseball Club, has been insured for $100,000. Cissell cost the Sox $123,000.

GANS MOST GRACEFUL

Joe Gans, one-time lightweight champion, is said to have been the most graceful fighter that ever entered a ring.

SMALLPOX EPIDEMIC MAY LOSE RAYMOND CHANCE AT TITLE

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Raymond, Alberta, has been quarantined following a mild epidemic of smallpox, according to word received here today by George Winter, secretary of the B.C. Basketball Association.

Raymond won the Alberta basketball championship this year and Vancouver Varsity, B.C. champions, were to have played there in the next round of the Dominion play-offs, April 6. If the quarantine is not lifted in a day or so Edmonton Y.M.C.A., runners-up for the Alberta title, may be declared champions and Varsity delegated to meet them in the interprovincial play-off, it was stated.

Regina Juniors to Get Big Reception

WINNIPEG, March 31.—The Regina Monarch hockey team, bringing with them the Memorial Cup and all the glory that goes with the winning of the Dominion junior hockey championship, arrived in this city today en route from Toronto. Members of the team will remain here for the week-end and will leave for Regina on Monday morning, where a monster celebration and welcome is awaiting them.

Ball League Will Hold Meeting Today

A meeting of the Vancouver Island Baseball Association will be held at Nanaimo today at 4 o'clock. Delegates from all teams entered are expected to attend.

Dates for B.C. Horse Racing Are Released

Season Will Open at Lansdowne June 30—Island Racing to Start at Colwood August 9—To Run at Willows Following Week

The dates for the British Columbia horse racing season, as issued by the British Columbia Association, Vancouver, were released here yesterday by Hon. T. G. Coventry, general manager of the Willows Park Racing Association. The list calls for fifty-six days of racing at the three Mainland tracks, Lansdowne, Brighouse and Hastings, and the two Victoria tracks, Colwood and Willows.

Racing will open at Lansdowne track on Saturday, June 30, for seven days. From there the thoroughbreds will be transferred to Brighouse for a week, thence to the "Bull Pen" at Hastings Park for another seven days. Following Hastings' meet, the ponies will return to Lansdowne for another seven days.

FIRST ISLAND DATE

The first racing on Vancouver Island is set for Colwood, Thursday, August 9. The horses will run at the mile enclosure for seven days, and from there they will go to the half-mile layout at Willows for another week.

Following Willows, the chargers will be returned to the Mainland to complete at Brighouse, and from there will return to the Colwood track, where another seven days of racing will drop the card on the season's programme.

There may be a chage of two days in the start of the second meet at Lansdowne track. Victoria officials have requested that this meet open on Monday, July 30, instead of Wednesday, August 1, so that the first day's racing at Colwood may be started on Wednesday, August 8, instead of the following day. These are the only changes, if any, that are likely to be made.

Prospective dates follow:

Lansdowne Park, Saturday, June 30, to Saturday, July 7.

Brighouse Park, Wednesday, July 11, to Wednesday, July 18.

Hastings Park, Saturday, July 21, to Saturday, July 28.

Lansdowne Park, Wednesday, August 1, to Wednesday, August 8.

Colwood Park, Thursday, August 9 to Thursday, August 16.

Willows Park, Saturday, August 18, to Saturday, August 25.

Brighouse Park, Monday, August 27, to Monday, September 3.

Colwood Park, Saturday, September 8, to Saturday, September 15.

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Esquimalt Defeat Victoria City in Jackson Cup Game

Dockers Chalk Up 2-1 Victory in Hard Soccer Tussle—Warren Nets Pair for Winners—Hamer Scores for City

A sizzling drive by Ernie Warren, inside left for Esquimalt, gave his teammates a 2-1 victory over Victoria City in the first round of the Jackson Cup soccer series yesterday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park. The goal which spelt disaster to the city camp, came after twenty minutes of play in the second half. It was one of those first-time shots which gave the goalie little chance to save. In this particular instance the leather scraped the crossbar and hit the back of the net, despite a brilliant attempt by Rogers to avert a score.

The Dockers were the better team, and won on their merits. Their forwards, playing a good combination game, always looked dangerous on the attack, and but for the good defensive work of their opponents the score would have been somewhat different.

THE FIRST SCORE

The first counter came after thirty minutes of play in the first half, when Warren scored with a low drive in the far corner of the net. City equalized just before half-time when Hamer used his cranium to perfection, and beat Bridges. The second half was twenty minutes old when Warren netted his second counter, which proved to be the winning goal. After a number of dangerous attacks, Warren sent the leather home with a hot drive.

For the first fifteen minutes the teams played some of the best football seen here this season, with the exchanges fairly even. Esquimalt were the first to send in anything like a dangerous shot when Warren booted a hot one at Rogers, which the latter tipped over the bar. Esquimalt were having an edge on the play, and after Rogers had been tested numerous times, Warren sent in a low shot for the first counter. Bill Campbell broke up the Dockers' attack shortly after the centre, and sent his teammates on the offensive. Play for a while hovered around the Dockers' citadel, and the situation looked dangerous. Esquimalt carried the play back to their opponents, and Rogers made a couple of saves in quick rotation. Towards the end of this half, City gain went on the offensive and Tommy Smith hit the crossbar with a terrific drive after receiving the leather from Glancy. Rogers defended his goal a few minutes later during a heavy attack.

HAMER NETS EQUALIZER

Shortly before the rest interval, City staged a determined rally which resulted in Bob Preston, centre-half, carrying the play well down the field. When about ten yards outside the penalty area he centred, and Hamer headed the leather home for the equalizer. The latter player had started at inside right, but about halfway through the first half was hurt. He stayed with the game, but showed the affects of the bump.

In the last half of the game Victoria City were outclassed except for, perhaps, the first fifteen minutes, when they were playing a heavy booting game.

Esquimalt kept Rogers busy with shots of all descriptions, while W. Campbell and A. Campbell, the two fullbacks, were kept busy. On one occasion the City goal had a charmed existence when the ball, after being shot three times and saved, rolled along the crossbar, while the players stood gasping and wondering what was going to happen next. Warren broke the tie after twenty minutes of play, when his sizzling shot hit under the crossbar and landed in the net for the winning goal.

PASS UP FINE CHANCE

Victoria City broke away at intervals, and subjected the opposing goal to a number of close goals, but failed to plant the leather home for the equalizer. Just before time they passed up a golden opportunity when Smith's shot hit Glancy in the course of its journey for what appeared to be a certain goal. City kept up the pressure, and when the whistle sounded, play was at the Esquimalt end.

Ralph Alcock refereed, and the teams were:

Esquimalt — Bridges, Joe Watt, Mesher, Hosmer, Boyd, DeCosta, Stewart, Spiers, John Watt, Warren and Wagland.

Victoria City—Rogers, W. Campbell, A. Campbell, Barnawell, Bob Preston, Kelman, Gibson, Blasell, Glancy, Smith and Hamer.

BARNARD LIKES ST. LOUIS AND DETROIT TIGERS

CHICAGO, March 31.—"Watch the St. Louis Browns and the Detroit Tigers."

This is the advice of President E. S. Barnard, of the American League, who has just returned from an extended tour of the junior major league training camps.

The Browns have a group of new veterans that will be playing ball every minute under a new management, while the Detroit Tigers have a coterie of batsmen who are bound to provide trouble," Barnard said.

SOLON SPORTSMAN

Senator Joseph T. Robinson, of Arkansas, Democrate leader of the Upper House, is a fisherman and huntsman of note and is one of the best golf players in Congress.

LONG WALK FOR O'LEARY

Dan O'Leary, famous pedestrian, now in his ninetieth year, estimates that he has walked something over 300,000 miles during his lengthy career.

FIVE C'S CHALK UP TRIPLE WIN

Capture Honors in Three Provincial Juvenile Cup Ties—Will Enter Finals

Results of the provincial juvenile cup ties played yesterday are as follows:

Division I (semi-final)—Five C's 4, James Bay 1; Burnside 1, Esquimalt 0.

Division III (final)—Five C's 4, Burnside 0.

Division IV (final)—Five C's 1, City 0.

Five C's and Burnside juvenile soccer teams of Division I will meet in the local final of the provincial cup ties next week as a result of their victories yesterday. The former club defeated James Bay 4-1 at Beacon Hill, while the latter chalked up a 1-0 victory over Esquimalt at Central Park.

The Five C's-James Bay game was keenly contested in the first half, with neither team being able to score. In the second canto, the former club had a decided edge on the play, and ran in four counters to their opponents' one. McConnell with two, Graves and Briggs with one apiece scored for the C's. Fraser netted the only counter for the Bays.

BURNSIDE WIN

A lone goal by Taylor in the second half of a bitterly contested battle, gave Burnside a 1-0 victory over Esquimalt at Central Park.

Playing at the Royal Athletic Park as a curtain-raiser to the Jackson Cup match, Five C's defeated Burnside, of the third division, 4-0.

Play in the first half was fairly even, and at the rest interval the winners had a one-goal lead, due to a good shot by Youson. In the second half the C's first line of attack showed up to advantage, and added three counters, thereby making the final score 4-0. Youson, J. Payne and Pollard scored in this half.

In Division IV, Five C's again came to the front when they registered a 1-0 victory over Victoria City. Sellars did the trick after ten minutes of play in the initial half. Play on the whole favored the City, but the opposing defence put up a stellar game and prevented the leather from reaching the often-aimed-at destination.

In the first round of the Jimmy Adam Cup, Esquimalt defeated Saanich 2-0. A goal was scored in each half.

RIFLE SHOOTING

The 112th Battalion seniors compiled the following scores last week on the miniature range. Captain Perry again came to the top with a three-point margin. Scores follow:

Capt. N. Perry	98
Cpl. R. Heyer	95
Cdt. Bob Armstrong	95
Capt. G. Parrott	93
Cpl. D. Stoddart	93
Lieut. G. Terry	93
Lieut. W. Murray	90
Cdt. E. K. Cvery	90
Cdt. H. Manson	85
Cpl. B. Low	82
Cpl. R. Humphries	77
Cpl. L. Mainwaring	77

GAME BOXER

Pedro Arvizu, a Mexican boxer, was knocked down twenty-three times in less than six rounds by Johnny Hughes during a bout in San Antonio, Tex., recently.

Superior Power and Better Rhythm Gives Light Blues Victory

Decisive Win by Cantabs Over Oxonians Surprises—Half of Dark Blues in State of Collapse at Finish—Thousands See Race

PUTNEY, England, March 31.—Superior power and steadier rhythm of stroke swept the light blue of Cambridge to a decisive triumph over Oxford today, in the eightieth annual boat race between the two universities.

Although a Cambridge victory had been predicted, the ten-length lead which the light blues held at the finish was more decisive than had been expected either by the experts or the vast throng that lined the historic Thames course from Putney to Mortlake.

In both individual strength and machine efficiency the Cambridge eight proved unmistakeably better than the crew which pulled valiantly for the dark blue. The victors finished the four and a quarter mile grind without sign of distress, while far behind the Oxford crew labored in broken fashion. Cambridge's easy success today stretched the light blue string of victories through five consecutive years, and pulled the university up to within one of tying the total of forty races Oxford has won.

LIGHT BLUES NEVER HEADED

Leaping to the fore at the start, the Cambridge shell never was headed throughout the long plug. The first mile was a strenuous sprint with Oxford struggling gamely to regain the few feet the light blues seized with the first few sweeps of their oars.

The fleet of launches buzzing about the laboring oarsmen could see that Oxford was straining, giving every ounce of power in the boat, while Cambridge rowed with easy, effortless rhythm.

At the Hammersmith Bridge, Cambridge cleared the dark blue shell, and from that point on the open water between the speeding craft widened rapidly until the race became a procession.

At the finish line, judges in the "stake" boat estimated the broad stretch of water between the shells at ten lengths. Half of the defeated eight dropped helplessly over their oars, exhausted, while the happy Cantabs sat erect and smiling. It was agreed that the time of twenty minutes, twenty-five seconds that failed to threaten the record of 18:29 Oxford made in 1911, could have been bettered if Cambridge had been hard pressed.

CONDITIONS GOOD

The conditions on the water were good. Cambridge had been favored to win. The betting odds were three to one.

Rowing enthusiasts gathered early at vantage points along the towpath and on the Putney, Hammersmith and Barnes bridges.

Not all of the spectators were on the ground. Several airplanes soared over the course in special flights and more than a score of persons saw the race from the aerial grandstands.

It was one of the easiest victories of recent years.

The light blues started off at thirty-four strokes to Oxford's thirty-six, and soon had their shell to the front. Gradually they forged ahead until open water showed between the crews at one and a half miles.

Considering the early hour of the boat race between Oxford and Cambridge on the Thames, the throng of spectators was exceptionally large at the various points of vantage along the course of four and a quarter miles. An interested witness of the race was King Amanullah of Afghanistan, who watched the race from a launch.

Oxford won the toss.

THE CREWS

Following were the crews, their colleges and order of rowing:

Cambridge—R. G. Michell, Shrewsbury and Caius, bow; H. M. Aldous, Leatherhead and Selwyn; M. H. Warriner, Harrow and First Trinity; R. Beesly, Orundle and First Trinity; J. C. Holcroft, Radley and Pembroke; J. B. Collins, Eton and Third Trinity; R. A. Symonds, Bedford and Lady Margaret; T. E. Letchworth, Downside and Christ's, stroke; A. L. Bulley, Denstone and Selwyn, coxwain.

Oxford—M. C. Graham, Shrewsbury and Magdalene, bow; T. W. Shaw, Shrewsbury and Christ Church; H. E. Whiting, Radley and Worcester; H. O. Morphitt, Geelong and Brazenose; G. M. Bradner, Edinburgh Academy and Exeter; G. F. Cobber, Bedford and New College; C. W. Murray Threlpland, Eton and Christ Church; W. S. Llewellyn, Eton and Balliol, stroke; Sir James H. Croft, Eton and Brazenose, coxswain.

TEAMS TO BE AT FULL STRENGTH

New York Rangers and Boston Bruins to Meet Tonight in First Game for Sectional Title

WINNERS TO PLAY CANADIAN CHAMPS

NEW YORK, March 31.—The Boston Bruins and the New York Rangers are expected to be at full strength tomorrow night when they meet at Madison Square Garden in the first game of their American group final of the National Hockey League.

The second game will be played in Boston on Tuesday, the winner of the series on total goals going to Montreal for the Stanley Cup series against Montreal Canadiens or Maroons.

The Bruins have a good margin of superiority over their rivals on the season's play. The teams have met six times, the Bruins winning two games by 2-0 scores, tying three and losing one by the odd goal in five. The Bruins outscored the Rangers 12-9.

THREE HOLIDAY MATCHES CARDED

Soccer Fans Will Have Varied Programme on Friday—Outside Teams Coming

Soccer fans will have three games for their approval on Good Friday, with two in the morning and one in the afternoon. In two cases outside teams will be brought to the city, while the third match is the local final of the junior Provincial Cup series.

Bapcos and Esquimalt, of the Junior League, will clash at Beacon Hill at 10:30 o'clock for the right to meet the Mainlanders in quest of provincial honors. At the Royal Athletic Park, Rennie & Taylor, champions of the Wednesday Football League for the past two seasons, will battle Chemainus. The kick-off for this match is set for 10:45 o'clock.

St. Saviours, of Vancouver, will be here in the afternoon for a game with a picked team from the Saturday League. The match will be played at the Royal Athletic Park, commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Philbrick and Mrs. Bagley Winners Of Eclectic Rounds

Mrs. Philbrick won the Class "A" ladies' March eclectic competition played at the Victoria Golf Club with a 77, 1 2-3, 75 1-3. Miss Marion Wilson was runner-up with 85, 2 2-3, 82 1-3. Mrs. Bagley carried off the honors in Class "B" with 93, 12, 81. She was followed by Mrs. A. V. Price with 90, 8 1-3, 81 2-3.

Mrs. F. Nation kindly donated the prizes for the competition.

William Nugent, eighty-three-year-old caddy at French Lick, Ind., can make three rounds daily and claims to be the world's oldest bag toter.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

Is there any way to put a front-spin on a ball that will make it roll farther after it hits the ground?

By BOBBY CRUICKSHANK

Winner of Los Angeles, San Antonio, Hot Springs, North-and-South Open Championships, 1927

In hitting a ball so as to put on backspin, it must be hit down, or in other words, the ball must be hit or squeezed against the turf.

It seems natural, then, that to put on forward spin the opposite method is required. Instead of hitting the ball down, I aim only to hit about the back centre. The ball should be struck more on the upswing and the follow through will complete the shot successfully. No attempt should be made to lift the club head up with the hands and wrists as the ball is struck. Just hit the ball a little higher or nearer to centre than usual with plenty of follow through. If on the teeing ground, tee a little higher and imagine you are striking a nail right through a spot in the back-centre of the ball. You will probably top a lot of shots at first, but keep on trying.

TOM HEENEY TO GET CHANCE AT TUNNEY IN JULY

Rickard Selects New Zealander for Battle With Heavy Champion

London May Be Scene of Battle—Promoter Dickering With Old Country Interests—Tunney Pleased With Selection—No Definite Date Set

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., March 31.—With characteristic suddenness, Tex Rickard today lifted the lid off the heavyweight boxing championship situation by declaring that Gene Tunney will meet Tom Heeney for the title some time in July with the possibility that the bout will be staged in London. Rickard's action climaxed a chapter of rumors and uncertainties since Jack Dempsey first wavered and then walked completely out of the picture. It cleared the way for the British Empire to get its first chance at the world's title in more than twenty years.

Whether the Britishers will see the match depends on London promoters, with whom he is negotiating, said Rickard.

SITUATION CLARIFIED

By choosing Heeney, the New York promoter also clarified the situation in New York State where the boxing commission threatened to rule Tunney ineligible unless before next Tuesday he accepted a challenge from Heeney, Johnny Risko or Sharkey. While the probability was that the bout would be held in New York if London promoters failed to come to terms, Rickard did not mention New York in his statement, merely asserting the match would be staged "in the United States" if not in England. No date in July was mentioned.

Tunney expressed his satisfaction with Rickard's selection of the Britisher, saying that in his opinion Heeney was "the outstanding contender."

Charley Harvey, Heeney's manager, was elated over the prospect of seeing his charge mix with Tunney, and expressed confidence that his man would win the title.

ONLY BOUT OF YEAR

Rickard said the Tunney-Heeney bout would be the only championship contest in the heavyweight division this year.

Announcement of Tunney's next opponent followed a series of differences between Rickard and Charley Harvey, manager of the New Zealand heavyweight. The two dates open for the bout are July 12 and 19. Both at the Polo Grounds. Rickard had originally planned to hold the bout at the Yankee Stadium, but the Yanks will be at home all during the last part of July.

Owing to Rickard's announcement that he planned the bout for late July, the feeling gained headway in boxing circles that the contest would eventually be deferred until September. Heeney came to this country fourteen months ago after fighting in New Zealand, England, South Africa and other countries with only fair success.

"I am now waiting for final word from London," Rickard said, "and if their terms are agreeable I shall take the fight over there."

TUNNEY PLEASED

Tunney appeared pleased with the selection of Heeney. "Rickard has, in my opinion, named the outstanding contender," he said.

Heeney made his debut in this country against Charlie Anderson, winning by a knockout in eight rounds. He plodded along with only fair success, until his bout with Jack Sharkey in Madison Square Garden, January 12. Heeney followed up the Sharkey bout with a decision over Jack Delaney in a fifteen-round bout in the Garden on March 1, advancing himself into the middle of the heavyweight picture.

The New Zealander has lost only one bout since coming to this country, a decision to Paolino Uzcudun. In a later bout he held Paolino to a draw and many critics thought he deserved the decision. Heeney is twenty-nine and has engaged in thirty-three bouts.

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HUDSON'S BAY WIN BOB WHYTE SHIELD

Defeat College 29-22 in Final Played Last Night—C.P.S. Down Onwegos 36-24

Hudson's Bay men's Senior "C" hoop team captured the Bob Whyte Knockout Shield last night by defeating College, 29-22, in the final, at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium. In the first round of the Y.M.C.A. elimination series C.P.S., Senior "A" quintette, downed Onwegos 36-24.

The Bays and College put up a close argument, with neither team having any distinct advantage. The winners, however, had a slight edge and at the rest interval led a 14-10 score. In the second half the Bays annexed fifteen to their opponents' twelve points.

Forbes refereed and the teams were:

Hudson's Bay—Mowry (6), Fish, Addie (2), Tripp, Watson (7), Nichol (4), Brown (4) and Patterson (6).

College—Dunsmuir, MacQueen (2), Thompson, A. Foubister (4), Temple (7), Hume (2), Gilmore (1) and J. Foubister (6).

After leading C.P.S. by a 19-17 score at the end of the first half, Onwegos, men's Senior "A," wilted and fell before the strong rallying play of their opponents, who gained a 36-24 victory in the first round of the Y.M.C.A. Knockout series.

Forbes referred and the teams were:

C.P.S.—Hocking (6), Dowds (15), McEachren (12), Davis, Wooldridge (3) and Fagerberg.

Onwegos—Skillings (7), Sword, Warnock (3), Skillings (14), Stewart, Peden and Bell.

MRS. MacFARLANE WINS DARCUS CUP AT UPLANDS CLUB

Mrs. MacFarlane won the Darcus Cup handicap golf competition finished yesterday at the Uplands Golf Club, when she finished with a net 260, three strokes better than Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Pocock, who were tied for second place with a net 263. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Pocock will play another eighteen holes for the second prize. The results follow.

	Rounds 1-2	3	H'cap	Net
Mrs. MacFarlane	221	114	75	260
Mrs. Jackson	206	108	81	263
Mrs. Pocock	211	103	81	263

Lake Hill Tennis Club Changes Name

The annual meeting of the Lake Hill Tennis Club was held on Thursday at the home of C. K. Saunders. The following officers were elected: President, J. McN. Patterson (re-elected); secretary-treasurer, C. K. Saunders; captain, T. Hawkes, executive committee, Mrs. Spurr, Miss M. Seymour and T. Hawkes.

On account of the new location of the courts it was decided to change the name of the club to the North Quadra Tennis Club.

PARNELL PAYS $142 ON NOSE

Wins Ninth Race at Tijuana to Return Lengthy Odds—Cowboy Irwin Slips Over Delayed Winner

RACING SEASON CLOSES TODAY

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA RACE TRACK, March 31.—Parnell was the big thing today in the last race, paying $142.20. Cowboy Irwin put one over, Cellini, a delayed winner, that paid $57 on the front end.

The last of the classics, the Tijuana Futurity, is scheduled as the sixth race tomorrow. The Futurity is a five-furlongs sprint for two-year-olds (yearlings of 1927). A big nomination list of 210 has dwindled down to twelve of the mightiest to face off. A subscription of $30 came in with each nominee, totalling $6,300 that goes to the winner, together with $150 for each starter. The Coffroth track adds $5,500, which would make a total to the lucky baby of $13,600. $1,250 goes to the second horse and $750 to the third. Last year's Futurity paid the winner, Sun Meddler, $10,500.

A farewell handicap of a mile and an eighth presents a good field. Woolridge, Bob Rogers, Kentucky Babe, Wirt G. Bowman, Rip Rap and Alexander Pantages are among the starters.

Results follow:

First race—Five furlongs:
Vapor (N. Stevens) ... $ 7.80 $ 4.00 $ 2.80
Leading Lady (Warden) ... 6.20 3.00
Plaid II (Robertson) ... 2.80
Time, 1:02 2-5. Also ran: Lap, Caswalsar, Vela, Raredy Ann, Seth's Stranger, Beckie Dear, Daisy Mint, Marie Bank, Patsy Burke, Buss K., Flamarno.

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Heap Wampus (Owen) $12.00 $ 8.00 $ 4.20
Rural Gossip (Buckley) ... 8.40 3.40
Towten's Gem (Swift) ... 2.00
Time, 1:08. Also ran: Kinetic, Tijuana, Weathervane, Lou Shank, Mary Dear, Handsome Star, Music, Mary Maude Carr, Pretty Bill, Teenie Weenie Maudie, The Gaff.

Third race—Clubhouse course:
Golden School (Warden) ... $ 7.80 $ 4.00 $ 3.00
Kid North (Rennie) ... 4.00 2.00
Maryland (Philpot) ... 5.80
Time, 1:37 1-5. Also ran: Captain Leroy, Bluelans, Clifield, Shasta Buck, Genesses Belle, C. J. Meany, Air Lady.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:
Nix (Hardy) ... $ 8.00 $ 3.60 $ 3.00
Shasta Monk (Philpot) ... 5.40 3.60
Alnahau (Woolf) ... 2.60
Time, 1:13 4-5. Also ran: Bonsilla, Flying Abbott, Pa's Choice, Blue Cedar, Nautilus.

Fifth race—Mile and seventy yards:
Jack Knight (Chamberlain) ... $27.20 $18.60 $11.60
Maunaolu (Hardy) ... 4.00 3.20
Quoin (Jones) ... 3.40
Time, 1:47 1-5. Also ran: Mint Julep, Rob Roy, Miss Chatterton, Scarlet Bugler, Araby, Evelyn Brown, Peter Pierson, Full o' Fun, Milk Eater, Voorflor, Barber Bill.

Sixth race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Cellini (Lindseth) ... $57.00 $25.20 $ 7.60
Flute (Trimble) ... 5.20 2.40
Corinne Star (Jones) ... 4.00
Time, 1:07 4-5. Also ran: Pelaika, Cuzvaa, Speedy Lad, Shasta Pope, Lillie Stout, Straight Eight, Herookan, Major Mallon.

Seventh race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Waimanu (Hardy) ... $13.60 $ 7.20 $ 4.00
Ann Curtias (Kelly) ... 2.80 3.00
Rockiluna (Jones) ... 2.40
Time, 1:08 3-5. Also ran: Essnog, Shasta Sand, Rolline Star, Time Exposure, Swiftshot.

Eighth race—Clubhouse course:
Margie K. (Kelly) ... $ 8.80 $ 4.60 $ 3.80
Jack Fairman (Trimble) ... 4.20 4.20
Almyrrn (Woolf) ... 4.80
Time, 1:36 1-5. Also ran: Moses, Realist, Hong Kong, Miniator.

Ninth race—Mile and one-eighth:
Parnell (Philpot) ... $142.20 $18.00 $ 5.00
Herbert (Pendergrass) ... 6.00 4.20
Marengo (Hardy) ... 2.80
Time, 1:55. Also ran: Jane Dierks, Bucko, White Lights, Be Frank, Ojo, Black Mask, Coeur de Lion, Matilda B., Galloping Joe, Little Man, Yokohama Girl.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Six furlongs:
Amen ... 118
Hominy ... 127
Suncar ... 104
Lady Rose ... 117
Escapader ... 132
For Me ... 121
Pay Me ... 119
Teal ... 121
Mana ... 117
Double Shot ... 118
Polly Thorpe ... 117
Malverne ... 119
Golden Bear ... 120
Hay Zee ... 118
Picnic ... 119
Smart Horse ... 119
Kaliko ... 123
Bronx ... 118

Second race—One mile:
Sister Josella ... 107
Mission Lad ... 98

EARL COMBS

Centrefielder of the New York Yankees, who blames the present trouble with the world's champions on loafing. Combs says the players feel they cannot lose and declares unless they settle down soon will have trouble getting away to a flying start.

Gondolier ... 109
Question Mark ... 104
Buzzer ... 107
Sawday ... 109
Venture ... 107
Zing ... 107
Apricot ... 109
Another Deck ... 101
Conciliation ... 112
Louie Wright ... 99
Jimmie Trins ... 109
Hopuwal ... 101
Lemon Squash ... 107
Jola Shot ... 107

Third race—One mile and seventy yards:
Jane Dierks ... 105
Skootin ... 115
Muriel ... 115
Little Man ... 115
Bryndearn ... 106
Lake Rock ... 109
Betty Maloney ... 104
Griego ... 108
Jagger ... 104
Bucko ... 108
Paula Shay ... 109
Hank Jr. ... 110
Kinsley ... 113
Golden Laura ... 101

Fourth race—Clubhouse course:
Buck Pond ... 112
*San Carlos ... 100
Shasta Rock ... 97
Cobra ... 109
Rounder ... 108
Flying Chief ... 104
Merryman ... 106
Circuit ... 93
Lieut. Seth ... 103
Mickey Free ... 105
Almaren ... 115
Rapier ... 108
*Canaque ... 111
*O'Connell entry.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
Lillian L. ... 108
Knighthood ... 103
Hawns ... 104
Rocket ... 99
Capt. Guard ... 111
Cry Baby ... 98
*Peep O ... 87
Roper ... 101
Privately ... 106
In the Eye ... 108
Florenda ... 101
M. J. McNulty Jr. ... 103
Pelaika ... 77
Montello ... 102
*Windflower ... 88
*Mickel entry.

Riff Raff ... 118
Lep ... 115
Spooky ... 113
Audrey B. ... 112
*Lady Vava ... 118
*Vittoria ... 118
Baptiste ... 118
*Listo ... 118
Geo and Ed. ... 118
Black Hills ... 118
Tin Soldier ... 112
Ranee ... 115
*Labrea entry.

Seventh race—Six furlongs:
Ancient Weapon ... 94
Sergeant Seth ... 98
*Rip Rap ... 96
Proctor Hus ... 104
*Bonnie Omar ... 93
Polita ... 80
†Shasta Pine ... 94
Star Moon ... 106
Judge Schilling ... 96
Shasta Gold ... 98
†Shasta Bullet ... 128
Pal ... 106
*Irwin entry. †Pantages entry.

Eighth race—Three-year-olds and up; one mile and one-eighth:
Woolridge ... 102
Bob Rogers ... 88
Kentucky Babe ... 89
Mozart ... 98
Crippeminaud ... 102
Cantankerous ... 113
Wirt G. Bowman ... 98
Rip Rap ... 108
Alexander Pantages ... 106
Firth of Tay ... 94

Ninth race—One mile and one-sixteenth:
Roseaite II ... 118
Miniator ... 107
Jack Fairman ... 102
Red Banner ... 111
*True Boy ... 106
Shasta Shelk ... 85
Topsy S. ... 94
Sapodilla ... 103
Dolly Bay ... 104
Marsit K. ... 108
*Olive Dexter ... 93
*O'Connell entry

Tenth race—One mile and one-quarter:
Mint Julep ... 93
Supervisor ... 102
Montdale ... 85
*Rock Bomb ... 112
Curler ... 108
Araby ... 85
Ask Him ... 90
Pepper Shot ... 85
Old Faithful ... 104
Composer ... 85
*Scarlet Bugler ... 90
Iridium ... 90
Dukedom ... 98
*White entry.

Eleventh race—One mile and seventy yards:
Voshell ... 115
Railim ... 104
Tod Sloan ... 105
Paiolo ... 102
Dr. Clark ... 102
Negotiator ... 106
Prospect ... 102
Firth of Tay ... 112
Watch the Time ... 113
Bone Pile ... 91
Ann Curtis ... 86
Moses ... 107
*Tanis ... 106
Sanbar ... 103
Bonnie Omar ... 113
Duck It ... 96
Realist ... 102
*Creech entry
Weather, clear; track, fast

1,350,000 FANS PAID WAY INTO N.H.L. MATCHES

MONTREAL, March 31.—National Hockey League attendance records were smashed almost all along the line during the scheduled campaign this Winter, according to official attendance records in the various cities on the circuits. This Winter, 1,350,000 witnessed N.H.L. play in the scheduled games, which was an increase of 230,000 over the attendance mark set the previous year.

SCARES SOME

For years the University of Florida has followed the custom of presenting an alligator to the captain of the rival athletic team just before the start of play.

Earl Combs Blames Loafing as Trouble With N.Y. Yankees

Centrefielder Says Players Think Team Cannot Lose—World Series Rivals May Find Going Tough Unless They Improve

By GEORGE KIRKSEY

NEW YORK, March 31.—Trouble looms ahead for the world series rivals of 1927, the New York Yanks and the Pittsburgh Pirates. Generally picked to repeat their triumphs again this season, the baseball world ponders and wonders if there isn't something wrong with the Yanks and Pirates.

Unless the proud athletes of those two teams pull themselves together between now and April 11 there seems to exist a rare opportunity for a pair of hustling baseball clubs to get away to a flying start in the two big league pennant races.

The world champions departed from St. Petersburg with a record of one victory in nine games, and that doesn't nearly tell the story of the slovenly work.

YANKS' BATTING .275

Murderer's Row has turned out to be a haven for old and broken-down hurlers. The Yanks are batting about .275 against Spring pitching. Gehrig is batting .232, Lazzeri .200, Meusel .193, Koenig .211.

Gehrig blames his inability to get going to the Florida sky; an odd explanation, whatever its real effect on the batting eyes of the most valuable player in the American League last season. Earl Combs, the brilliant, but overlooked centrefielder of the Yanks, seems to have placed his finger on the real trouble with the team.

"Everybody's loafing," he says. "They think the Yanks can't lose. Unless the club settles down to business we're going to have trouble getting started."

COMBS AND DUGAN BEST

Combs and Joe Dugan are playing the best ball of the Yanks. Combs is batting .357 and Dugan .391. Babe Ruth hasn't been doing any too well, but no one is worrying about him.

Out on the Pacific Coast the Pittsburgh Pirates seem to be in the throes of a slump not unlike that which grips the Yanks.

Paul Warner, the National League batting champion, isn't hitting, but he hasn't blamed the California sky.

"I always have a hard time getting my eyes adjusted in the Spring," Waner says. "My eyes are the secret of my success. I depend upon a perfectly timed swing, and when the pitchers don't put much on the ball it's hard for me to find the range."

Looking around for a pair of teams to step out in front if the Yanks and Pirates flounder at the start, one discovers that the two runners-up, the Philadelphia Athletics and the St. Louis Cardinals, also are having their troubles.

MACK'S OUTFIELD WEAK?

The Athletics slumped so badly last week that Connie Mack threatened to give his line-up a thorough shaking up. Mack's announcement that George Haas, rookie outfielder from Atlanta, will start the season in right field lends support to the story that the Athletics' outfield is not so strong after all, even with Speaker and Cobb.

As for the Cards, the gap remains at shortstop with no early solution in sight. Tommy Thevenow is still weak from a broken ankle and Rabbit Maranville is only good for a few games at a time.

Morgan Winner of U.S. Singles Title

NEW YORK, March 31.—Playing an invincible game, Hewitt Morgan, New York, today won the national amateur court tennis singles championship, defeating William C. Wright, Philadelphia, 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

We don't overwork; we overworry.—Rev. Leslie D. Weatherhead.

Seattle Fighters Far Too Fast for Locals

Sound City Boys Win All Three of Their Engagements—Up-Islanders Do Not Fare So Well—Callum Beaten in Main Event by Brice

Visiting Seattle boxers tasted the fruits of victory at last night's amateur boxing card staged at the Tillicum Athletic Club by winning all three of their bouts. Tommy Brice fought his way to a clean-cut decision over Joe Callum, of Victoria, in the main event after three rounds of heavy milling. Callum put up a good scrap, but was unable to get inside his opponent's defence often enough to land his short jab to the body.

W. Thacker was the second Seattle battler to chalk up a win by gaining the judges' decision over Gerald Sharpe. The boys mixed freely with little to choose in the the first two rounds. In the last round Thacker introduced a right cross, which sent the local lad to the canvas on two occasions.

REGISTER TECHNICAL K.O.

Mike Lavery, from the Sound city, registered a technical k.o. over Harold Bailey towards the end of the second round when the latter's second flung the towel in the ring. The bell saved the local lad in the first round after he took a right to the jaw. He came back fresh for the second round but his opponent opened an attack to the jaw, and after he went down a couple of times his second decided he had had enough.

Danny Pastroe was given the judges' decision over Petrie, of Nanaimo, after three fast rounds. In his previous visit here the up-Island lad gained the decision. Last night's verdict was far from popular with the fans.

Davie Andrews, Nanaimo, made his debut to the local fans against Herbert Sutton, with the local lad getting the decision. It was the first time that the visiting youngster had donned the gloves.

BOUT HALTED

Referee Baker halted the Parrott-Robertson bout early in the second round, when the latter insisted on stalling instead of getting in and fighting his opponent.

Bruce Lowe, was given the referee's decision over Harry Robson after three rounds of heavy milling. Robson, making his first appearance in the squared circle, put up a game battle against a more experienced fighter.

Wilfred Shouldice was given the call over C. Keown in the opening bout. The boys mixed freely from the start of the gong.

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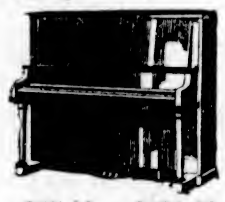

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ENGLISHMAN IN DEAD HEAT

Peter Gavuzzi and Payne End Yesterday's Lap of Cross-Country Race Neck and Neck

HOOFERS WANT BETTER FOOD

SANTA ROSA, N.M., March 31.—Peter Gavuzzi, Southampton, England, and Andrew Payne, Claremore, Okla., holders of second and third places in the coast-to-coast foot race, finished in a dead heat after traveling the 45.5 miles from Palma in seven hours and thirty seconds. Gavuzzi's elapsed time for the 1,004.10 miles from Los Angeles was 172 hours 3 minutes 26 seconds, and Payne's elapsed time was 172:27:37.

Arne Souminen, of Detroit, was third in 7:04:30, his elapsed time of 167:55:05 gives him the leadership in the grind.

Harry Rea, Long Beach, California, finished fourth in 7:24:30; elapsed time 205:32:35.

Canadians who finished among the first twelve today were:

George Liebergall, Bellevue, Ont., 7:53:55; 218:58:40.

Phillip Granville, Hamilton, Ont., 8:26:30; 191:57:20.

TWELVE LEADERS

The twelve leaders, with their elapsed times, are:

1. Arne Souminen, Detroit, Mich., 167:55:05.
2. Peter Gavuzzi, Southampton, England, 172:03:26.
3. Andrew Payne, Claremore, Okla., 172:27:37.
4. Cronick, Saskatoon, Sask., 180:05:55.
5. Voight Hofstater, Manistee, 188:50:05.
6. John Salo, Passiac, N.J., 191:38:00.
7. Phillip Granville, Hamilton, Ont., 191:57:20.
8. Ed. Gardner, Seattle, 193:21:40.
9. William Kerr, Minneapolis, 198:34:09.
10. Harry Rea, Long Beach, Cal., 205:32:35.
11. Louis Perella, Albany, N.Y., 205:48:45.
12. Henry Swabey, York, Ont., 207:57:18.

TROUBLE BREWING

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M., March 31.—An uprising is threatened among C. C. Pyle's cross-continent marathon runners, it was declared here yesterday afternoon by Alex. Finn, trainer for two Finnish runners in the race.

Finn came in from Moriarty to deny that the two runners, Nestor Erickson, of Port Chester, N.Y., and August Fegar, of Ashtabula, Ohio, had withdrawn from the race. Finn said he had withdrawn as their trainer, but advised them to continue.

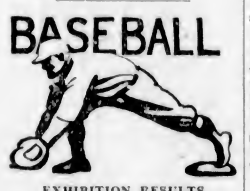
Several runners have threatened to hold an indignation meeting and give the promoter an ultimatum that the quality of food must be improved and better sleeping facilities provided, Finn said.

The man who had the commissary contract withdrew soon after the start, and since that time the meals have been "wretched," Finn asserted —"cooked over a camp fire."

RUNNERS FAIL TO QUIT

PALMA, N.M., March 31.—After having threatened to quit the Los Angeles-New York Marathon, because their trainer was discharged, Nestor Erickson, Port Chester, N.Y., and August Fegar, Ashtabula, Ohio, are back in the field today, making a total of ninety-four runners who still survive the grueling cross-country grind.

Both runners announced their intention to quit the "derby" when their trainer, Alex. Finn, Los Angeles, was banned by Referee Arthur Duffy, Los Angeles, for infraction of rules.



EXHIBITION RESULTS

	R.	H.	E.
At Forth Worth—			
Detroit	6	9	2
Forth Worth	2	8	3

Batteries—White, Hill, Billings and Hargrave; Burnswin, Pate and Bischoff.

	R.	H.	E.
At Los Angeles—			
Chicago	3	9	0
Pittsburgh	3	6	0

Batteries—Jones and Gonzales; P. Miljus, Fussell, Pauscher and Emaley.

	R.	H.	E.
At Nashville—			
Cincinnati (Nat.)	5	9	1
Nashville	1	6	3

Batteries—Rixey, Edwards and Hargraves, Sukeforth; Aiten, Simons and Stauffer, Thompson.

DANGER

Your tongue is the best barometer of your physical condition. Look at it every morning before breakfast. If it is coated with white, yellow or brown coloring, and does not have a clean red appearance you are constipated and not well.

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Trottier Scoring Last Goal at Ice Sports

THIS photograph shows the scoring of the thirteenth and final goal by Canada against Switzerland in the final game for the Olympic hockey championship. The final score was 13-0. The goal was scored on a double pass between Hugh Plaxton and Dave Trottier. Plaxton, on the left, is shown just as he made the final pass across to Trottier. The puck, which is seen in front of the goalkeeper of the Swiss team, was in motion when the photo was snapped. Trottier picked the puck up and with a quick wrist shot dropped it into the net. The ice was very sticky and slushy for the final game and the players could not show all they had. The photo also shows the temporary stands erected for the hockey tournament. These stands, which accommodate 7,000 people, are built up against the side of the mountain.

	R.	H.	E.
At Atlanta—			
St. Louis (Nat.)	8	18	4
Atlanta (Southern)	1	7	1

Batteries—Frankhouse, Rhem and O'Farrell, Mancus; Dudley and Adcock, Brock.

	R.	H.	E.
At Birmingham—			
Washington (Amn.)	9	11	1
Birmingham (Southern)	10	13	1

Batteries — Measton, Jones and Tate; Roy Morrell and Jenkins.

	R.	H.	E.
At New Orleans—			
New Orleans (Southern)	6	14	1
Cleveland (Amn.)	1	5	2

Batteries—Yowell and Scuman, Murphy; Uhle, Levsen and Autry, Myatt.

	R.	H.	E.
At Kansas City—			
St. Louis (Amn.)	7	16	3
Kansas City (A.A.)	4	6	2

Batteries — Crowder, Gray and Schang; Warmouth, Davis and Wirts.

	R.	H.	E.
At Philadelphia—			
Philadelphia (Nat.)	3	9	0
Philadelphia (Amn.)	6	7	2

Batteries—Ring, Benge and Wilson; Grove, Rommel and Cochrane.

	R.	H.	E.
At West Palm Beach—			
Boston (Nat.)	6	11	5
Brooklyn (Nat.)	7	10	1

Batteries—Genewich, Wertz and Taylor; Petty, Vance, Clark and Heniine.

	R.	H.	E.
At Jacksonville—			
New York (Amn.)	2	7	1
Jacksonville	1	5	1

Batteries—Pipgras, Shealy and Grabowski, Collins; Kelly, McBee and Johnson.

	R.	H.	E.
At Shreveport—			
Chicago (Amn.)	9	13	3
Shreveport	5	7	2

Batteries — Lyons and Berg; Blankenship and Haywood.

	R.	H.	E.
At Memphis—			
New York (Nat.)	12	20	2
Memphis (Southern)	1	7	3

Batteries—Faulkner, Clarke and Hogan; Spoherer, Kelly and Bergcr.

CARPET BOWLING

The annual meeting of the Capital City and District Carpet Bowling League was held at the Civil Service rooms on Thursday when a large number of enthusiastic members were present.

The secretary's report showed a large increase in membership, 120 taking part in the various league games. The financial statement also disclosed a flourishing condition and the league can look forward to a good season for 1928-29. Already seven new teams contemplate entering and others are expected.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Hon. presidents, G. Vallance, F. J. Byng, J. Leiper and Rev. H. V. Hitchcox; president, W. Hislop; vice-president, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick; treasurer, S. Hawkins; secretary, T. H. Mayne; assistant-secretary, W. B. Colvin.

The secretary will be pleased to give any information regarding formation of new clubs and all are cordially invited.

FINAL STANDINGS

DIVISION I

	P.	W.	L.	D	For	Agt.	Pt.
Willows "B"	14	10	4	-	268	200	20
Saanich	14	10	4	-	252	218	20
St. Mark's "A"	14	6	6	-	266	225	14
Willows "C"	14	6	7	1	234	214	13
C. S. Rovers	14	6	8	-	220	254	12
St. John's "A"	14	6	8	-	212	287	12
Willows "D"	14	5	8	1	220	246	11
Willows "A"	14	4	10	-	226	268	8

Playoff: Willows "B" beat Saanich by two shots.

DIVISION II

	P.	W.	L.	For	Agt.	Pt.
Willows Park	16	12	4	306	242	24
Lake Hill "A"	16	11	5	312	237	22
Lake Hill "B"	16	11	5	304	233	22
Esquimalt	16	9	7	295	269	18
C. S. Ramblers	14	6	6	227	241	16
St. John's "B"	15	6	9	211	245	14
St. Mark's "C"	15	6	9	229	288	14
Hudson's Bay	14	3	11	206	283	8
St. Mark's "B"	16	3	13	214	279	6

C. S. Ramblers defaulted to St. Mark's "C" and Hudson's Bay.

Hudson's Bay defaulted to St. John's "B".

Lake Hill "A" beat Lake Hill "B" in playoff for second place, extra ends requiring to be played.

INTERNATIONAL SERIES

In the last of the International Series England beat Canada 40-24, thereby tieing the series.

TEAMS

England—
Holmes, Scroggs, Mayne, Oliver (s).. 23
Taylor, Handley, Blocomb, Kirchin (s). 17

Canada—
Halliday, Mitchell, Campion, Goodwin (s) 11
Taylor, Colvin, Nelson, Tuthill (s).... 12

FINAL STANDING

	P.	W.	L.	For	Agt.	Pt.
Scotland	4	3	2	158	125	4
England	4	2	2	147	146	4
Canada	4	2	2	127	155	4

St. Saviours Win

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Shellys passed out of the Mainland Cup picture at Con Jones Park today when St. Saviours defeated them, 4-2, in overtime. It was a bitterly fought encounter. St. Saviours got two goals in the last stages of the overtime play when Shellys fell off in defence.

Willie Hoppe, the former "boy wonder" of billiards, has been playing professionally for more than twenty years, during which time he has earned close to $500,000. He is forty-two years old.

CHISLETT EQUALS OWN MARK

By taking three straight from the James Island squad last night on the Arcade Alleys, the Colonist five rolled themselves into a tie for first place with the Night Owls in the City League. Charlie Chislett equalled his own previous season's record by rolling 602 pins for the three games, also getting high single with 216.

The scores follow:

JAMES ISLAND

J. Ford	163	138	184—485
W. Rivers	157	164	154—475
J. Thompson	141	162	128—431
R. H. Lyons	146	130	118—394
W. S. Thatcher	176	163	142—501
	783	777	726—2286

COLONIST

H. Pickup	170	202	159—531
J. Matson	133	170	166—469
H. Buckle	142	160	161—463
A. Hawkins	156	132	189—477
C. Chislett	190	216	196—602
	791	880	871—2542

TO ARRANGE BANQUET

A general meeting of City and Commercial Bowling Leagues will be held on Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. to arrange for the annual banquet.

Battling Levinsky, ex-light-heavyweight champion, holds a record of having fought fifty-nine times in one year, a mark which probably will never be equalled.

Wests Down Five C's In Overtime Struggle

Eden Quainton Nets Equalizer One Minute From Time to Force Extra Play in Peden Cup Semi-Final—Score Is 3-2

The Victoria West football eleven will enter the finals with Esquimalt team for the Peden Cup by virtue of their splendid victory over the Five C's yesterday afternoon at Beacon Hill, by 3-2, after half an hour of overtime play.

The game started with the losers taking the offensive, and as a result Passmore, the West goalie, was called upon to save some hot drives from Shanks, Quainton and Sutton. Bob Shanks missed a good chance to score when he took a good pass from his brother Reg., but he skied the ball over the bar, with only the goalie to beat. Play continued in midfield for a time. Then the Wests' forward line went on the offensive and in quick succession Collins, Plump, Peden and Mulcahy tested the C's goalie, who handled the shots with ease. The whistle sounded for the rest period with Five C's bombarding the Wests' citadel, trying in vain to break into the scoring column.

Shortly after the resumption of play, Pat Mulcahy took the ball up the left wing, crossed it over to Connorton, who in turn sent it towards the goal mouth. "Scotty" Robinson put the finishing touches to the play by heading the ball into the net for the first score. Play continued up and down the field until one minute from time, when Eden Quainton equalized with a sizzling shot in the penalty area and forced the game into overtime.

PEDEN SCORES PENALTY

The first overtime period started with the Wests being awarded a penalty kick when Harwood tripped Robinson in the restricted area. Johnny Peden made no mistake with the shot, and put the greenshirts one up. A few minutes later Shanks had a chance to equalize with an open goal in front of him, but he shot wide. At this stage of the game Symons was injured when he collided with J. Peden and was forced to leave the field. The Five C's played on the defensive the rest of this period.

In the second overtime stanza the Wests continued their aggressiveness and "Toots" Plump made the count 3-1 with a daisy cutter from close in. With but three minutes to go and the Wests on the defensive, the C's secured their second and final goal through the efforts of Symons, who had returned to play. MacMillan refereed, and the teams were:

Wests—Passmore; Allen and Godwin; Pophain, Peden and Hawkes; Mulcahy, Robinson, Plump, Collins and Connorton.

Five C's—Davis; Tuckwell and Harwood; R. Shanks, E. Viggers and F. Viggers; Sutton, Symons, E. Quainton, R. White and R. Shanks.

OLYMPIAD FOR L. A.

The California Tenth Olympiad Association has been organized to handle arrangements for the Olympic Games to be held in Los Angeles in 1932.

Southend Foresters Win Juvenile Title

NANAIMO, B.C., March 31.—Southend Foresters defeated the Owls football team 2 to 0 here today, thus winning the up-Island district championship in the first division juvenile Allan Cup competition. The game was played on a wet, muddy field, both goals being scored in the second period.

U.B.C. Track Stars Beaten at Tacoma

TACOMA, March 31.—College of Puget Sound track and field men defeated the University of British Columbia team 88 to 43 in a meet here today.

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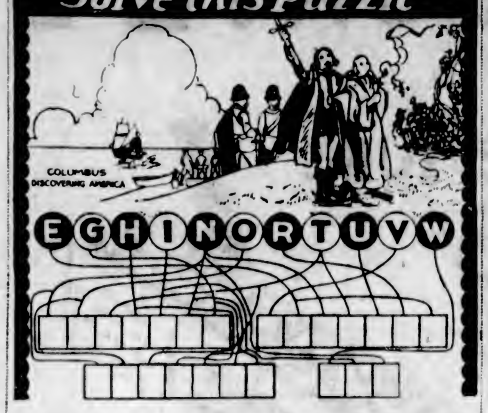

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Christendom the World Over
A Weekly Review of Religious News

Josephine Butler, wife of Rev. George Butler, famed for her work on behalf of the moral elevation of her sex, and who was the leader in the fight for the repeal of the British Contagious Diseases Act, which gave legal sanction to vice, will be honored during April, the centenary month of her birthday. On April 25, a service will be held in Westminster Abbey, with "Dick" Sheppard preaching.

STORY OF GYPSY CHURCH

Purloining a Bible from a lady in Valenka, Bulgaria, in whose house they were working, two gypsies, who were first attracted by the beautiful binding of the book and the jewels on it, became interested in its contents. Themselves unable to read, they called to their aid a German resident in the neighborhood, and in the evenings a group would gather around while he explained the Book to them. According to Rev. J. H. Rushbrooke, secretary of the World Baptist Alliance, who tells the story, there arose in that district a gypsy church with a German minister as the result of the purloining of a Bible.

MOSLEM AND CHRISTIAN FASTS

Rarely coinciding, from the fact that both festivals are movable and dependent upon the moon, the Christian Lenten period and the Moslem month of Ramadan began this year upon the same day. Ramadan is the sacred month during which every Mohammedan must fast daily from sunrise to sunset. Greater severity marks the Eastern observance. From dawn to sunset of each day not a morsel of food nor a drop of liquid must pass the lips of the Moslem, nor may he relieve his thirst by bathing his body. Taking of snuff and smoking are also forbidden, and even the inhaling of the perfume of flowers. It is interesting, says The Christian World to note that though Lent in its beginnings is the older of the two, it did not finally and officially take form until after Ramadan had been established by Mahomet in the seventh century. As the Mohammedan calendar is lunar, Ramadan, which is the ninth month, may fall on any season in Summer or Winter.

LITTLE BITS OF NEWS

There will be a special session of the Church Assembly for final approval of the revised Prayer Book, to be followed by its presentation to Parliament before Whitsuntide.

The composer of the famous hymn, "Fight the Good Fight," Rev. William Boyd, died last month at his London home, aged eighty-three years.

The Echo, a magazine devoted to the interests of the students and alumni of the United Theological College of Montreal, has nearly completed its second year of publication. The United Theological College is the training school for the ministry of the Anglican, Presbyterian and United churches, and is affiliated with McGill University.

Bands of students from the United Theological College, Queen's University of Kingston, and McMaster and Victoria of Toronto, have been holding meetings of young people in communities adjacent to these centres with the object of enlisting them in the Christian life and service.

Late reports announce that there were in the United States in 1926, 1,913 churches and societies of the Church of Christ, Scientist, with 202,800 members. In 1906 there were 635 churches, reporting 83,717 members.

The statement by one of the British periodicals that Dr. Cadman, of Brooklyn, was resigning the Central Congregational pulpit to give his whole time to radio preaching, is declared by him to be without foundation.

The Russian Soviet Government has granted permission for the printing of 50,000 Bibles and 50,000 New Testaments for Russia.

Seven speakers, representing nine great religions, described the fundamentals of their faith at a largely attended meeting recently held in the First Baptist Church, Philadelphia, each of whom stated that the brotherhood of man was an essential of his religion. Buddhism, Jainism, Sikhism, Christianity, Judaism, Israel, Mohammedanism, Shintoism and Confucianism were the nine faiths discussed.

BRITISH NEWS NOTES

One of the oldest churches in Scotland, Old West Kirk of Greenock, has been taken down to permit of shipyard extension, and re-erected, stone upon stone, on a new site at Seafield, and the three memorial windows, which are regarded as among the finest specimens of stained glass work in Europe, have been preserved intact. In the graveyard of the old church were buried Burns' "Highland Mary" and the family of James Watt, the inventor of the steam engine; but the graves were removed to Greenock cemetery before the work of demolition began.

The Scottish National Brotherhood Union, which began in Scotland fifty-three years ago as the P.S.A., or Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Movement, now has thirty-four brotherhoods, twenty-four sisterhoods, and twenty-seven mixed meetings, with a total membership of 16,000.

The English Catholic Truth Society, which is devoted to the publication and circulation of Roman Catholic literature, reports for 1927 an increase in the number of pamphlets of 40,000, bringing the total of books and pamphlets up to 1,628,000.

Toc H has now a sister organization—the Toc H League of Women Helpers. The league inherits, says The Guardian, its rights to service from those nursing sisters who, visiting the old house at Poperinghe and making their communion in the upper room, became foundation members of Toc H. "New June" is the name of their headquarters and there will be as many "Junes" as there are many "Marks," says this journal.

AMERICAN CHURCH NEWS

When the Episcopal Church of the United States meets next October for the triennial council at Washington, a major question of discussion will be the motion of the council of 1925 that the Thirty-Nine Articles, which are in the American prayer book merely as a record, should be deleted. This motion must now be confirmed or rescinded. There is a strong feeling, states The Guardian, against the retention of a confession so largely anachronistic. On the other hand, says the same paper, many men of liberal views are feeling that it is better to have some standard of doctrine than none, as in practice great latitude is allowed in regard to teaching and ceremony.

In the interests of Protestant church unity, Dr. R. B. Tucker, the rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church at Richmond, Va., has decided the established rule of his church and announced that he will receive into communicant membership members in good standing in other churches without the rite of confirmation. Dr. Ainslie, of Baltimore Christian Temple, a leader of the Disciples communion, has expressed his willingness to receive into communicant membership without immersion members of other denominations. The Christian World states that a tremendous discussion has been raised by the rector's step, and Dr. Ainslie's reciprocal action.

Englishman Shot

BUENOS AIRES, March 31.—A dispatch to Le Nacion from Mendozea today said S. W. Rittman, an Englishman, was slain there because he was unable to understand Spanish.

Rittman, who was employed by the Mendozea branch of the Anglo-South American Bank, was walking through the streets when several men stopped him. Speaking in Spanish, they ordered him to shout "Viva Lencenas," in honor of the chief of a political faction. Not understanding them, Rittman ignored their demand. He was shot and killed.

These Women!
By J. H. Striebel

Here's your young gold digger getting some early practice in the art. It looks as though she had all the makings of an "old man's darling."

SAYS CHINA WILL RECOVER IN TIME

Has Capacity for Self-Government, Declares Bible Society's Secretary

MONTREAL, March 30.—Pride and fear were said to be two main factors in the Chinese situation by the Rev. G. W. Sheppard, Bible Society's secretary for China, in an address delivered recently before ministerial and lay members of the local auxiliary. The pride of the Chinese made them despise the Western nations, while the fear of becoming a subject race, as certain Asiatic peoples had become to the British, made them suspicious of the English-speaking races' designs and intentions.

Mr. Sheppard, who is en route from Shanghai to England, praised the Chinese for their industry, their enterprise, their sobriety and their home affections, and while admitting that their neighbors, the Japanese, had made more rapid progress in modern civilization, he contended that the Chinese were in no way inferior in their intrinsic qualities.

The present chaos was depicted by the speaker, who did not minimize its seriousness, pointing out that an attempt to run the country on democratic lines before the people were educated up to it had resulted disastrously. One of the saddest features in the situation was that many of the young Chinese, some of whom had deceived western education, had forsaken all their national traditions, and were content to live in the cities enjoying partially western life and disregarding their responsibilities, and were even disunited among themselves.

"Nevertheless, I want to assure you," declared Mr. Sheppard, "that this is only a phase; it does not mean any natural incapacity on the part of the Chinese for self-government; it is merely the result of too sudden and drastic a sweep from autocratic government to a semblance of democracy. But after thirty years' acquaintance with the Chinese, I am convinced that they possess the necessary moral and mental qualities to become a self-governing and free people. It may take a long time and it may try the patience and forbearance of the other peoples of the world, but nothing can prevent it; China will develop a government suited to its own genius, and instead of being a menace to the nations, will become one of the greatest of them."

The speaker went on to emphasize his conviction that the English-speaking peoples, the British and the Americans, control the destiny of the Pacific basin, and that it is their influences in the matter of principles of freedom and equality and their intercourse with the Far East that would be the determining factor in the settlement of China. He discussed the psychological difficulties which arise from the fact that the Chinese have a great self-consciousness as to their own superiority and a great fear of an attempt on the part of the English-speaking races to dominate them; while on the other hand, he referred to the old fear of the English-speaking peoples of the yellow peril and the influx of cheap labor from China.

While he did not look for the immediate Christianizing of China, Mr. Sheppard pointed out that China is one of the largest customers of the British and Foreign Bible Society, taking four million copies of the Scriptures, and he believed that with the co-operation and help of English-speaking people China would respond more and more to the teachings of the Bible and that with its help her present troubles would be solved.

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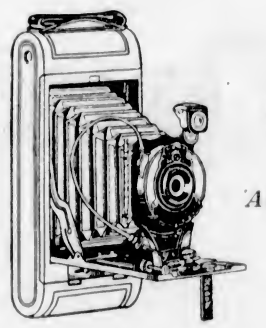

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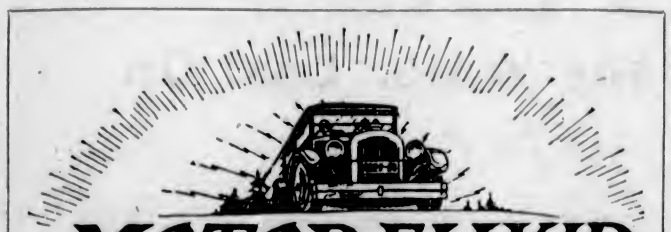

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BLACK—Bogoljubow

WHITE—Tartakower

The diagram and moves are the end of the game which follows:

WHITE	BLACK
33. Q K B 2	33. P N 5
34. B R 1	34. R x P
35. B B 4	35. R K 5
36. B x R	36. P x B
37. K N 1	37. P N 6
38. Q K 3	38. Q B 3
39. R N 1	39. R K B 4
40. Q x R P.	40. R Q 4
41. Q R 8 ch	41. K Q 2
42. Q x P	42. Q Q 5 ch
43. K R 1	43. P K 6
44. R Q B 1	44. P N 7 ch
45. K x P	45. P R 6 ch
46. K B 3 !	46. K K 3
47. R x P	47. P R 7
48. Q B 6 ch	48. R Q 3
49. Q K 8 ch	Black resigns

Mate in two follows.

A game from the recent London meet taken, with the notes, by J. H. Blake, from The British Chess Magazine. The opening, a Ponziani, is named after its inventor, a canon of Modena Cathedral. M.C.O. says: "The move 3. P Q B 3 lies open to the twofold objection that it takes away the best square from White's Q N, and that it leaves him behind in his development, so that Black can effectively adopt several strong sacrificial counter-attacks."

WHITE Tartakower	BLACK Bogoljubow
1. P K 4	1. P K 4
2. N K B 3	2. N Q B 3
3. P B 3	3. N B 3 !
3 ... P Q 4 !.	
4. P Q 4	4. P Q 4
5. K P x P	5. Q x P
6. B K 2	6. P K 5

The first departure from orthodoxy, which continues 6 ..., P x P; 7. P x P. It has the demerit of leaving White a very strong centre.

7. K N Q 2	7. P K 6
8. P x P	8. Q x N P
9. B B 3	9. Q R 6
10. Q K 2	10. N K N 5
11. N K 4	11. Q R 5 ch
12. K Q 1	12. B Q 2

If 12. N N 3, B Q 3 !; 13. Q N 2, N x R P !.

13. B Q 2	13. Castles
14. B K 1	14. Q K 2
15. B x N	15. Q x N
16. B B 3	16. Q N 3
17. N Q 2	17. P B 3
18. B N 3	18. P K R 4
19. R K N 1	19. P R 5
20. B B 2	20. Q B 2
21. P K 4	21. B Q 3
22. B K 3	22. N R 4

Probably aimed at preventing 23. N B 4, but that was hardly worth while. Owing however, to Black's lack of a centre (due to the policy adopted at move 6.), it is difficult to discern for Black lines of play which offer any good prospects.

23. P N 4	23. B R 5 ch
24. K K 1	24. N B 3
24. K B 1 is safer.	
25. N B 4	25. B R P

White threatens to win the Q B by N N 2 and to play 25 ..., N K 2. To extricate the B would enable White to continue 26. P N 5 with N x B ch and P B 4 to follow. Black decides, therefore, that his best chance lies in complicating matters with a counter-attack.

26. N N 2	26. B x R
27. B x B	27. N x Q P
28. P x N	28. B B 3
29. P Q 5	29. B x P
30. P x B	30. K R K 1
31. B K 3	31. P K B 4 !
32. K B 1	32. P K N 4 !

If 32. P B 5; 33. B N 4 ch, K N 1; 34. B K 6 !.

The remaining moves are with the diagram at the head of the column.

Our next gives a new system against the Sicilian defence, viz., 2. P K N 3, etc. It was favored by Tehigorin and adopted with success by Tarrasch.

WHITE Potemkin	BLACK Alechin
1. P K 4	1. P Q B 4
2. P K N 3	2. P K N 3
3. B N 2	3. B N 2
4. N K 2	4. N Q B 3
5. P Q B 3	5. N B 3

But the advance of P Q 4, prepared by 5. P Q B 3, is not in the spirit of the system. White should develop by 5. Q N B 3; 6. P Q 3; 7. Castles.

6. N R 3	6. P Q 4
7. P x P	7. N x P
8. N B 2	8. Castles
9. P Q 4	9. P x P
10. P x P	10. B N 5
11. P B 3	11. B B 4

Threatening to win White's Q P by B x N.

12. N K 3	12. Q R 4 ch

Black's last prevents castling, for after 13. Q Q 2 or B Q 2 the answer, 13 ..., N x N. wins a piece.

13. K B 2	13. N (Q 4) N 5
14. N x B	14. Q x N
15. P N 4	15. N Q 6 ch
16. K N 3	16. N x Q P !
17. P x Q	17. N x P ch

and mates in two

If 18. K N 4, P R 4 ch and mate next move by the B or the N. If 18. K R 3, N B 7, a "pure mate." The game and notes by Alechin (abbreviated) from "My Best Games."

CHESS NEWS AND NOTES

England—Adjudication of the unfinished games makes the result of Oxford University against West London a win for Oxford by 7½ to 6½, and Cambridge U.C.C. draw with the University of London at 5½ games all. Cambridge U.C.C. drew with the West London team. Score, 6½ all. The London U.C.C. beat the Metropolitan C.C. by 6½ to 5½.

Southern Union Championship—Hampshire beat Herts by 11 to 5, and thus qualify to meet Gloucester in the final round and the winner will play in the final of the S.P.C.

The London Observer says the English County championships, at present like all Gaul divided into three parts, North, South, and Midland, should be contested by four groups. The Southern Counties, the superior in number, are the Siamese twins to be operated on.

The sale of the Goldsmith manuscript autograph translation into verse of "Vida's Game of Chess" for £5,600 marks the breaking up of probably the best chess library in England. It contained about 2,300 chess books and manuscripts, only one of them dating after 1876, and that a presentation copy of Murray's "History of Chess." The London Times says Professor Murray had the run of the library while writing his great work, and probably came to know more about it than its owner.

There were twelve editions of Ruy Lopez's work, including the first edition, Alcala, 1561, and what a priceless heritage that sixteenth century Spanish priest left to the chess world. Other books in the sale commanded higher prices than these, presumably because of their rarity, but for enduring influence on the game no other author represented approaches Ruy Lopez de Sigura. The tragedy is that such a library should be dispersed, and if, as we understand to be the case, the Goldsmith manuscript is leaving England, the more is it to be regretted that the sale was necessary.

The City of London championship—The leading scores are as follows: Sir Geo. Thomas, 14 out of a possible 16; Victor Buerger, 13½-16, and M. E. Goldsteon, 11-15.

Capablanca on Chess — The Brooklyn Daily Eagle reports the following statement by the ex-champion: "I am greatly interested in having the game modified among the great players. This will have to be done to make chess more difficult and interesting. It has now reached its limit, and it is only a question of years when modification will be imperative."

The Field comments on the foregoing as follows: "Upon the details of the changes suggested by Capablanca we do not propose to comment. Suffice it to say, that, holding the view that the game is still difficult and interesting enough for all who play it, we are in principle opposed to any change.

"We believe that even the great masters will in the future find in it both difficulty and interest, as least as great as in the past. One of the great masters—Rubenstein—has already declared himself against the suggestion.

"In adopting this uncompromising attitude we shall by some be accused of the sin of conservatism. We feel confident, however, that we shall sin in good company."

The British champion, F. D. Yates, and W. Winter give the following of Alechin in their admirable book of the games in the late match.

"In the St. Petersburg meet of 1914, which had the patronage of the late Czar, he finished third behind Lasker and Capablanca. When in Germany, at the 1914 Mannheim tournament, which was suddenly ended by the outbreak of war, he was, as were all the other Russian competitors, interned. He was the only one to escape—a sign of his mettle. He returned to Russia and took part in the war. After the revolution he joined the Russian colony in Paris, and has now finally received his French naturalization papers. His charming wife, who nearly always goes with him to chess meets in different countries, and who is the widow of a Russian admiral, admitted that his law studies helped his chess.

"The disciplined mind again. It goes a long way when one is preparing to face the most peaceful yet the most strenuous of all tests. It gives a kind of brake power that one can imagine is needed in what the world has just seen—a ten weeks' fight, and also it gives the restraint which, at least in play, is the sign of a chess master.

"After many encounters with Alechin personally, I can say he has the pure love of the beauty of the combinations of the game, evolved only through the clash of mind conspiring against mind. I have won brilliancy games against him, and he has won more against myself. In chess, attacking players always produce the best specimens of the game, but if the game is good, then to the artist, such as Alechin, there is no remorse in it, even if it should be lost.

"He is one of the big influences in moulding the style in which the game will be played for many years to come. It is good for chess players to think that the play will never be thrown on the side of dull chess, but that many wonderful strategic plans of attack will yet be explored.

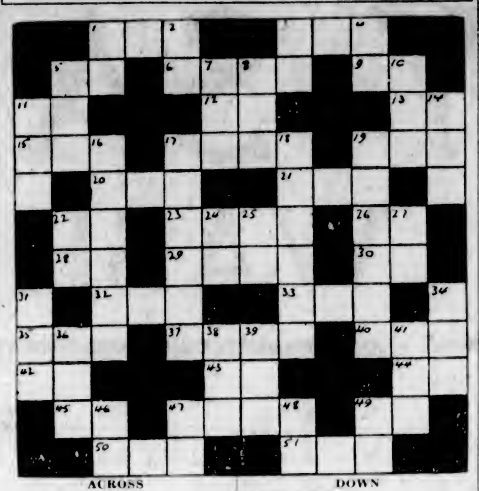
"His name is already attached to one system of defence. One cannot tell how long his name will endure in the minds of men. Ruy Lopez, the Spanish priest of the sixteenth century, is still a classic name in chess."—F. D. Yates.

W. Winter contributes "The History of the World's Championship Matches." Steinitz, he says, "is in some ways the most striking figure of all the world's champions. Throughout his reign, the longest in the history of the championship, he stood absolutely head and shoulders above his rivals, being able to play all sorts of weird experiments in the openings and still succeed, even against his most dangerous opponents."

The analysis of the whole thirty-five games is worthy the high repute of the British champion and his co-editor, W. Winter.

Akiba Rubenstein, exhibiting at the Marshall C.C., New York, against a powerful team, won 20, lost 2 and drew 2.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

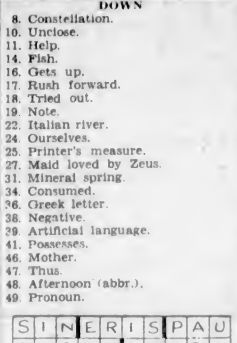


ACROSS

1. Period of time.
3. Be in debt.
5. Hewing tool.
6. Thrust.
9. Behold.
11. Indefinite article.
12. Conjunction.
13. Hebrew letter.
15. Mountain in Crete.
17. Garment.
19. American general.
20. Cheer.
21. Night before.
22. 3.1416.
23. Creates fear.
26. Note of the scale.
28. Bone.
29. Lease.
30. Toward.
32. Article of food.
33. Before.
35. Footlike organ.
37. City in Oklahoma.
40. Decay.
42. Preposition.
43. Hypothetical force.
44. Ourselves.
45. Exist.
47. Cease.
49. Within.
50. Hubbub.
51. Floor covering.

DOWN

1. Out of.
2. Like.
3. Siberian gulf.
4. Wing of a house.
5. Conjunction.
7. Also.
8. Constellation.
10. Unclose.
11. Help.
14. Fish.
16. Gets up.
17. Rush forward.
18. Tried out.
19. Note.
22. Italian river.
24. Ourselves.
25. Printer's measure.
27. Maid loved by Zeus.
31. Mineral spring.
34. Consumed.
36. Greek letter.
38. Negative.
39. Artificial language.
41. Possesses.
46. Mother.
47. Thus.
48. Afternoon (abbr.).
49. Pronoun.



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

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HAND NO. 100

North: ♠ 8 2 ♡ 8 6 5 2 ◇ A K ♣ A J 7 4 2
West: ♠ K J 9 5 4 ♡ — ◇ 9 6 4 ♣ Q 9 6 5 3
East: ♠ A Q 10 ♡ Q 10 7 3 ◇ 10 8 7 3 ♣ K 10
South: ♠ 7 6 3 ♡ A K J 9 4 ◇ Q J 5 2 ♣ 8

South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

In the next issue Mr. Whitehead will explain the salient points in the bidding and play of the above hand. Fill out your own chart and compare it with his method.

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

NOTE—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "S" for Spades, "H" for Hearts, "D" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for No Trump. "DBL" for double, "REDBL" for redouble.

THE PLAY

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						
13						
				Total Tricks Won		

(Bracket the card led to each trick)

Declarer Opponents

Point Score .....

Honor Score .....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid ..... Played by .....

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND NO. 99

S—♠ Q 8 ♡ A J 9 7 ◇ K J 10 2 ♣ A 8 5
W—♠ 9 4 3 ♡ K 5 ◇ A 9 5 ♣ J 10 7 6 4
N—♠ K 10 6 2 ♡ 8 6 4 2 ◇ 6 4 3 ♣ K Q
E—♠ A J 7 5 ♡ Q 10 3 ◇ Q 8 7 ♣ 9 3 2

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids
1 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Final Bid 1 NT Played by South

THE PLAY

(Bracketed card shows lead to each trick)

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1	C 5	(C 6)	C Q	C 2	1	
2	H 9	H K	(H 2)	H 3		1
3	C 8	(C 9)	C K	C 3	1	
4	H 4	H 5	(H 9)	H 10	1	
5	(H A)	S 3	H 6	H Q	1	
6	(H 7)	S 4	H 8	S 5	1	
7	D 10	D 5	(D 3)	D 7	1	
8	(D K)	D A	D 4	D 8		1
9	C A	(C 7)	S 2	C 9	1	
10	(S Q)	S 9	S 6	S 7	1	
11	(D 2)	D 9	D 6	D Q		1
12	S 8	C 7	S 10	(S A)		1
13	D J	C 10	S K	(S J)	1	
				Total Tricks Won	9	4

Salient Points of the Play

Trick 2. The double finesse must be taken in Hearts. The Deuce is led from Dummy and Declarer plays the nine so that on a later round the eight may be used as an entry in Dummy.

Trick 8. Although the finesse in Diamonds has held, the chance cannot be taken that the King of Spades will prove to be another entry into Dummy. The King of Diamonds is led instead of the Jack, as it is known that East holds the Queen and East must be kept from the lead. If West held off on the first round of Diamonds and East is allowed to lead the third round of Clubs before the Ace of Diamonds is played, no game can be made.

Declarer Opponents

Point Score ..... 90 ..... 0 .....

Honor Score ....

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One Dog's Day

Under the laws of Kentucky a dog accused of killing or wounding sheep is entitled to a man's trial by jury. In a recent case at Mount Sterling nearly all of a court day was devoted to the trial of Kaiser Bill, a police-trained dog which was accused of killing and wounding several of the sheep of Prewitt Young.

Bill lost the case. Bill was condemned to die, but was granted the right to appeal and released to his mistress on $300 bond.

Bill's mistress and his lawyer refused to take refuge behind a plea of insanity. They could have presented a vivid picture of Bill reverting to his primitive instincts, and they might have won for him a parole.

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"And phawt's a cross-examiner?"

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Question: Will it be good construction for us to have our porch piers built of wood?

Porch piers are best built of masonry. Wood sunk in the ground is subject to rot and decay.

THREE MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE

Utility, Strength and Beauty First Great Considerations in Problem of Building the New Home

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There are three chief considerations of equal importance that enter into every building operation: Utility, strength and beauty. The first takes care of the arrangements of the inner and outer parts so as to meet the purpose, public or private, for which the building is erected. The second takes care of such durability as justifies the expense of time and money involved. And the third consideration looks to such attractiveness as delights the eye and satisfies the artistic requirements of harmonious color and form.

The architect, in choosing his materials for strength, is acting for structural reasons. He wants a sound and enduring material. Considering beauty of material, he is acting for artistic reasons. He wants a material that gives attractiveness and charm to his work.

For both of these requirements, structural and artistic, brick is well adapted. It possesses strength and durability. Many variations of charm and beauty are possible with it. It is far less expensive than such materials as stone, granite or marble, and it is as enduring and as adaptable to the massive character of the most elaborate and pretentious structures. The history of architecture and the present practice of builders in our great cities give ample proof of structural and artistic success in monumental buildings of brick.

Brick has, by the way, many other uses than that of the construction of walls. Fireplaces of brick have been part of some of the most noted architectural periods, and are excellent practice today, both from the standpoint of attractiveness and sound construction. Almost innumerable decorative patterns are possible for brick fireplaces through the use of various bonds and standard or original designs.

There are also numerous supplementary uses of face brick that add greatly to the beauty of the house surroundings. Garden walls, gateways and walks, fountains, pergolas, Summer pavilions, terrace walls and steps, and porches are greatly enhanced in permanence and attractiveness by the use of well selected face brick.

Face brick, of course, is slightly higher in cost than some other forms of fire-resistive masonry construction, still higher in cost than wood exteriors, and is without the capacity of imitating any other form of wall surface. Brick is undeniably brick—always.

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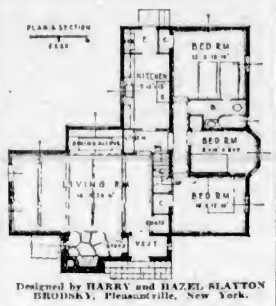
Formal Bungalow of Unusual Features

ARCHITECTURAL precedent for this more than lovely bungalow is found in the Cottage District of Cotswold, England. The roof lines have been skillfully composed by the designers into an unusual harmony that combines well with the treatment of the entrance doorway and the chimney. Casement windows add further to the effect, and the semi-enclosed porch at the left of the house virtually adds another room.

There are three bedrooms in this house, more than usual closet space, a dining alcove and an enormous fireplace with an inglenook after the best English Cottage tradition. The kitchen is of unusual shape, which permits the inclusion of a service entry at the rear and space in the service entry for the ice box.

A small window admits light to the large vestibule, and another window admits light into the ingle, where, on the opposite side, there is space for built-in book shelves.



Designed by HARRY and HAZEL SLAYTON BRODSKY, Pleasantville, New York.

One of the most interesting features of this home is the manner in which the foundations above grade have been made to contribute to the effectiveness of the design. This is done with a soldier course of bricks just above grade, above which are a series of brick courses laid in the regular manner.

DIMENSIONS: About fifty-three feet wide by forty-six feet deep, over all.

EXTERIOR: Roof, grey green slate; walls, cream colored stucco in a medium rough texture; brick, selected common; woodwork, brown stained cypress; sash, metal.

CONSTRUCTION: Any of the standard systems, or any desired combination of them.

ARRANGEMENTS: Three bedrooms, living-room, dining alcove, kitchen and porch; stairs to basement off hall between living-room and kitchen.

CLOSETS: One off each bedroom, coat closet and linen locker.

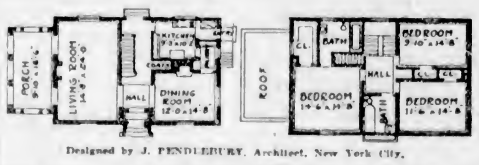
CONVENIENCES: Ice box in service entry; kitchen sink under window and flanked on both sides with built-in cabinets.

French Style—Dignified and Convenient

ONE of the principal attributes of the French residence architectural style, from which this attractive two-story home is derived, is dignity. So this home would appear to best advantage on a street given over to homes of similar or equally dignified styles. The width of the house is about fifty feet, which means that a wide lot would be required to give the house a proper setting. However, nine feet could be cut off if the sun porch were omitted, which would permit the building of the house on a fifty-foot lot.

Within the house are six large rooms and two baths. These are well arranged, and every room but the kitchen gets light from at least two sides. Space has been ingeniously disposed of. Off the principal bedroom is a closet, in which is a window, that is large enough to serve for a dressing room. There is a butler's pantry between the kitchen and dining-room.

Should additional living space be required in this house, the attic could be finished off into one or more rooms. A dormer is cut through the roof in front for light into the attic as well as architectural adornment, and similar dormers could be put through in the rear.



Designed by J. PENDLEBURY, Architect, New York City.

DIMENSIONS: About fifty-three feet, including service entry, by thirty feet.

CONSTRUCTION: Adapted to any type, Portland cement concrete, concrete blocks, gypsum concrete, brick, hollow tile or wood frame. Can be made fire-safe with wood frame construction if the fire-safe and insulated system of wood house construction is followed.

EXTERIOR: Specifications call for white stucco with a trim of red brick; however, brick could be used in place of stucco; window trim, white; blinds, gray green; roof, dark red shingles.

CLOSETS: One off each bedroom and linen closet off hall on second floor; coat closet off hall downstairs.

ARRANGEMENTS: House divided by long hall; three bedrooms and two baths upstairs; living-room, dining-room and kitchen downstairs; fireplace in dining-room and living-room; service entry at side, with large service vestibule.

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MATERIALS USED IN HOUSE WALLS

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There are three principal kinds of lath—wood, metal and gypsum. Wood lath has been in use hundreds of years; metal and gypsum lath are of comparatively recent development.

Writing of the use of lath at the beginning of the Christian era, Vitruvius, the Roman architect, has this to say: "As to lathed walls, would they never had been invented, for though convenient and expeditiously made, they are conducive to great calamity from their acting almost like torches in case of fire . . . Walls, moreover of this sort, that are covered with plaster, are always full of cracks arising from the crossing of the laths; for when the plastering is laid on wet, it swells the wood, which contracts as the work dries, breaking the plastering."

Virtually everyone is familiar with wood lath and the method by which it is applied to the studs, joists or furring strips of a wall or ceiling. Not everyone knows, however, that plaster is held to wood lath by "keys" which are formed between the individual laths—that is, the plaster is pushed into the openings between the laths to form "keys," which hold all the plaster in place.

A somewhat similar method holds plaster in place over metal lath, except that the metal lath usually is completely "back plastered" and the wall finish becomes simply a sheet of plaster reinforced with metal. Such a plastered wall will not burn, of course. It is not subject to cracks, and usually results in a satisfactory job. There are, however, some limitations to the use of metal lath in residence construction because of price.

The third of the three types of lath is manufactured from gypsum. Like metal lath, gypsum lath is incombustible. In addition, it actually repels an attack of fire from the fact that it gives off a steam after flame is applied to it over sufficient time. It further has the natural insulative properties of the gypsum rock from which it is made.

Lath of this kind comes in two sizes, and is packed in bundles for convenient handling. It is applied very much as wood lath is applied—that is, nailed to the studs and joists or furring strips. However, no "keys" are required to hold plaster to it. Gypsum plaster is the standard interior plaster, and when it is applied over gypsum lath, the two bond together through the surfacing of the lath and, according to tests by high authorities, bond more tightly than any other combination of lath and plaster.

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Plays and Players

"The Garden of Allah" At Dominion, Monday

Rex Ingram's Great Production Discloses Alice Terry and New Leading Man in Most Appealing Roles of Their Silver Screen Career

Never has the city of Victoria viewed a motion picture as enthralling and as beautiful as "The Garden of Allah," which opens tomorrow at the Dominion Theatre.

A preview supports the glowing praises of leading critics elsewhere that the picture is one of the most tense and gripping ever filmed. It seems certain to top the first ten pictures of the year.

It is not surprising therefore to find it credited to Rex Ingram, the great director who produced "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse," "Scaramouche," "Mare Nostrum" and other thundering dramas. He filmed it abroad for Metro-Goldwyn.

Enacting the principal roles in this new Ingram masterpiece at the Dominion are names, with few exceptions, wholly new to the screen.

Alice Terry plays the leading feminine role and she is more beautiful, exquisite and divine than she has ever been before. A new side of her is shown in this picture—a melting humanity that will wind picture goers around her aristocratic fingers.

Ivan Petrovitch, Miss Terry's new leading man, is an astonishingly handsome, athletic actor. He has the dark complexion of Miss Terry's former leading men—Valentino, Novarro and Moreno—but a stronger face than any of these. He is beyond question Rex Ingram's greatest discovery since Valentino.

Others in the brilliant cast are Marcel Vibert, leading supporting rile, H. Humbertson Wright, Mme. Paquerette, Armand Duterte, Ben Sadour, Gerald Fielding, Michael Powell, Basil Hambrough and Claud Fielding.

This picture's central idea is the struggle of conscience against passion. It is the story of a Trappist monk who vowed never to marry. He runs away from an Algerian monastery and, despite his vows, marries an English girl unacquainted with his past.

Three months of honeymooning on the Sahara desert are spoiled by pangs of conscience. A sandstorm nearly kills him and his bride and he promises God if she is spared he will repent and confess his past life. He does and she forgives him.

The picture was filmed on the precise locations in Africa which have been immortalized in Robert Hichen's famous desert romance from which Willis Goldbeck adapted this latest Rex Ingram production for Metro-Goldwyn.

AMUSEMENTS

THE SCREEN

Capitol—"The Shepherd of the Hills," by Harold Bell Wright.
Coliseum—"The Somme," with an All-Star cast.
Columbia—"What Price Glory," starring Dolores Del Rio.
Dominion—"The Garden of Allah," featuring Alice Terry and Ivan Petrovich.
Playhouse—Iren Rich and William Collier, Jr., in "The Notorious Mrs. Darling."
Variety—"The Temptress," with Greta Garbo and Antonio Moreno.

THE STAGE

Crystal Garden—Dancing and Swimming.

ALICE TERRY AND IVAN PETROVICH
In a scene from "The Garden of Allah," showing this week at the Dominion Theatre.

GREATEST EPIC OF WAR AT COLISEUM

"The Somme" Film Comes From Marble Arch Pavilion, London, to Local Cinema

"The Somme," mightiest of all war pictures, more epic by far than that memorable epic, "Mons," and excelling the big British motion picture, "Ypres," in such a degree that words fail to describe its immensity, will be presented at the Coliseum Theatre all this week. "The Somme" will be given to the people of Victoria direct from the greatest triumph ever accorded a motion picture, at the Marble Arch Pavilion, London, England, where thousands were turned away daily and special performances of the sensational war epic had to be shown, even running into the wee small hours of the morning.

"The Somme" is indeed greater by far than either "Ypres" or "Mons" in that it is not merely a story, but deals with the memorable campaign from beginning to end, in such a way that one feels he is taking part in the whole campaign, which lasted from that first great offensive on July 1, 1916, through that memorable day, Friday, September 7, through the historic battle of September 19, down through those days filled with anxiety, gladness and sadness, as fate dealt the hand, into the final thrust by the Allies, when the enemy was shoved back into their own line in the late months of 1917. In those grey Autumn days the enemy left behind 900 miles of desolate, abandoned country, thousands of prisoners, and two million men in killed and wounded.

The motion picture goes into all the turmoil and terror, into the maze of Delville Wood, the shell-shattered village of Montbauban, Contalmaison and Combles. Then to the outstanding incidents—the winning of the V.C. by Corporal T. W. H. Veale, of the 8th Devons, an example of devotion of man for man. The winning of the same coveted honor by Pte. James Miller, of the 7th Royal Lancasters, where sheer devotion to duty carried him, mortally wounded, twice across "No Man's Land" with a vital message and its reply.

"The Somme" is a picture that all Canada will see and will talk about for years after. It is a picture that, like "Mons," only to a much greater degree, will make you stand up and shout "Thank God, We're British!"

Rod and Vilma Get Back to America

Although all the principals were abroad, United Artists executive announced that Samuel Goldwyn will produce a feature costarring Rod La Rocque and his recently acquired bride, Vilma Banky, who arrived in New York a week or so ago by steamer from France. Before this triumvirate work together Mr. La Rocque will have completed "La Piave," and Vilma Banky will have finished here first individual starring production, "The Innocent."

RUM RUNNING TOLD IN DRAMA

"Those Who Dance" Shows on Screen at Playhouse Theatre This Week

The old-fashioned "crook" story of the screen, which never failed to attract capacity audiences if well presented, is definitely out-dated with Thomas H. Ince's latest production "Those Who Dance," a First National release which comes to the Playhouse Theatre tomorrow.

In a way that furnishes absolutely novel entertainment, Ince has screened a picture dealing with a theme of wide interest, for he has told the story of liquor in a tensely absorbing, fast action drama. For the first time a producer has taken the most discussed question of the day and woven it into a human interest story that carries an enthralling romance as well as dramatic incident which is vividly colorful, and a climax that is one of the biggest "smashes" of the silver sheet.

The story transpires, for the most part, in the New York underworld, but, instead of the usual types, the bootlegger and the hi-jacker and all the other crew that have come into the limelight since the passage of the Volstead law hold the centre of the stage.

"Doug's" New Film

Douglas Fairbanks is to make a sequel to "The Three Musketeers," but it is not to be based on "Twenty Years After."

Wagner's Parsifal In Lecture Tuesday Evening, April 3

The Victoria Ladies' Musical Club feel that they are offering an evening of great educational value and beautifully suited to the festival of Easter when Mrs. Hebden Gillespie will give her illustrated lecture on Wagner's "Parsifal" next Tuesday evening, April 3, in the Empress Hotel. Doors will be closed by 8 o'clock, so members and friends are asked to be there before the hour. The records used on this occasion, Mrs. Gillespie has ordered direct from England, and they are exceremely beautiful. With deep sincerity of purpose, Wagner strove throughout life to elevate the stage to a place of supreme importance for community good, and through his wonderful use of all the allied arts and his great intolerance of unnatural striving for effect or vain-glory, his object was attained. A definite and intentional connection links all his dramas from "The Flying Dutchman" on. The great message is that of redemption. Scenes which rise to sublime heights in the sacred festival dramas of "Parsifal," "Lohengrin," "Tannhauser" and the "Ring of the Niebelungen," all belong to the type of musical mystery-teaching dramas. "Parsifal," the result of thirty-five years of thought and toil, stands alone. Hukel beautifully calls "Parsifal" Richard Wagner's confession of faith.

Kenyon and Sills

Doris Kenyon is to play opposite Milton Sills in a picture to be known as "The Hawk's Nest."

UNUSUAL ROLES IN "THE TEMPTRESS"

Film Version of Ibanez' Story Showing at Variety This Week Shows Unusual Contest

A desperate battle with bull whips, in which two men, stripped to the waist, slashed at each other with their rawhide weapons, is one of the sensational spectacles, perhaps the first time ever shown on the screen, in the vivid Cosmopolitan filmization of Ibanez' "The Temptress," which comes to the Variety Theatre tomorrow.

Cattlemen in the South American plains battle with bull whips to settle their differences, and it is one of these odd battles that is reproduced by Antonio Moreno and Roy D'Arcy in the new production. The men, with their long whips, stand in a circle of spectators and slash at each other until one drops. Both suffer fearful punishment. This is one of a number of thrills in the exotic romance of South America, in which Greta Garbo, the famous Swedish screen beauty, and Antonio Moreno play leading roles.

Ken Maynard rides to new honors as a Western star in his latest picture, "The Land Beyond the Law," which also shows at the Variety tomorrow. The audience is always assured of plenty of action and thrills in a Maynard film, but this one brings with it a stirring story of Western history screened in such a manner that it cannot fail to command interest. Then there is Tarzan, the white steed who is a veritable marvel among horses. He is a vital part of "The Land Beyond the Law." Don't miss this marvelous production!

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WHAT PRICE GLORY AT THE COLUMBIA

Screen Translation of Famous Stage Success Shows at Local House Monday

For two years people waited for the William Fox version of "What Price Glory"—and it was worth waiting for. At the Columbia Theatre this magnificent dramatic comedy of the war opens a three days' engagement starting tomorrow.

With the limitations of the stage play cast aside, with Raoul Walsh setting his camera to visualize the hates, passions and loves of the war, there is a necessity that we place this screen entertainment at the top of the list of best motion pictures of the year.

None of the vitality of the original stage production was lost in the screen translation. In fact, we have to agree with all the other critics in the opinion that here is a picture that surpasses the original in every way. The picture conducts itself in the same red corpuscled, tensely dramatic fashion which made the stage presentation such a highly successful entertainment. The film truly adheres to the stage pattern in all its essential details and improves upon it in its scope of the war scenes, its atmosphere, its ever increasing interest, its thrills and its hilarious laughter.

The "Loos" Eve

When "The Fall of Eve" played at the Booth Theatre in New York with Ruth Gordon in the title role, it skated on a lot of thin ice, but never quite smashed through. Now that Columbia is bringing it to the screen, we rather imagine that this young Eve of Anita Loos' will have much more than a fig leaf added to her.—N.Y. Telegraph.

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SEYMOUR HICKS
As he appears in "Scrooge," which will be seen on the same bill with "Sleeping Partners" as the second offering of the three which he will present at the Royal Victoria Theatre during the week commencing Monday, April 9, with "Mr. What's His Name" and closing with "The Man in Dress Clothes."

Royal Aviator Sees Production of Wings

The foreign premiere of Paramount's air epic, "Wings," took place at the World Cinema in Copenhagen which was attended by His Royal Highness Prince Axel and Denmark's leading aviators in attendance. E. E. Shauer, general manager of the foreign department of the Paramount-Famous Lasky Corporation, reported that the picture was enthusiastically received by the public and the press. One of the leading newspapers of Copenhagen declared "Wings" to be "a great and mighty wing-song in the memory of the heroic aviators of the war. With the Americans' imposing technique, they show us in this picture all the neck-braking acrobatic stunts that can be executed in the air."

Marion Davies

Filming has started on Marion Davies' new production. The opening sequences are laid in the Majave Desert. Miss Davies is seen in the role of an aspiring screen actress en route to Hollywood in a broken-down flivver. The picture, so far untitled, is being directed by King Vidor

Beery-Hatton in New Comedy Opus

Cameras started grinding at the Paramount studio in Hollywood recently on a new Wallace Beery-Raymond Hatton team comedy. F. Richard Jones, who directed Douglas Fairbanks in "The Gaucho," is directing the Beery and Hatton production, which is as yet untitled. The picture is from an original story by Grover Jones. Gilbert Pratt and Grover Jones wrote the screen play. The cast, in addition to the two comedy stars, includes Mary Brian, Gardner James and Lane Chandler.

Cinema Averages

The United States boasts of one motion picture theatre for every 3,500 citizens; Great Britain has one for every 11,000; France and Italy one for every 14,000; Argentina one for every 12,000, and Brazil one for every 30,000. The average number of seats per theatre is probably twice as great in the United States as in these other countries.

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CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "THE CIRCUS"

Newest Romancers of Screen at Capitol

Molly O'Day and John Boles, Filmdom's Latest Acquired Talent, Play Appealing Roles as Lovers in "The Shepherd of the Hills"

A new romantic combination comes to the screen in First National Pictures' big screen version of Harold Bell Wright's classic, "The Shepherd of the Hills."

In the picture, which is to head the bill at the Capitol Theatre tomorrow, the lovers are Molly O'Day and John Boles. Miss O'Day recently played opposite Richard Barthelmess in "The Patent Leather Kid" and opposite Milton Sills in "Hard-Boiled Haggerty." Boles was Gloria Swanson's leading man in "The Loves of Sunya." He is a recruit from musical comedy.

They make a striking pair of lovers, and their appearance together in "The Shepherd of the Hills" may lead to other pictures in which they carry the burden of romance. With them in the cast of the picture are such notable players as Alec B. Francis, Matthew Betz, Romaine Fielding, Otis Harlan, Joseph Bennett, Maurice Murphy and Carl Stockdale.

Another pleasing love affair that figures in the dramatic plot of "The Shepherd of the Hills" is enacted between another pair of newcomers, Marion Douglas and John Westwood. Miss Douglas is a strikingly beautiful blonde, and Westwood, tall, athletic and handsome, was a Princeton youth selected by screen test in a complete canvass of the universities for actors, conducted by First National Pictures.

Albert Rogell directed "The Shepherd of the Hills," which Charles R. Rogers produced for First National. The famous novel was adapted to the screen by Marion Jackson.

ON THE STAGE

Among the very fine vaudeville attractions to be seen at the Capitol this week are the Four Cinderella Girls, a talented aggregation of singers and dancers in a decidedly new and novel offering; Margery Burke, a dandy accordionist; Gertrude Kirksmith, a viola artist and soprano soloist, in a song and music specialty; Harold Bechtel, the singing master of ceremonies, and the Capitol Concert Orchestra under the baton of Al. Prescott.

MOLLY O'DAY, MATHEW BETZ AND JOHN BOLES
In "The Shepherd of the Hills," the feature picture showing at the Capitol Theatre All This Week.

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Tickets, $2 a person, available at the offices of The Colonist, The Times and the Empress Hotel.

Popular Programme Prepared for Band Concert at Capitol

Another popular programme has been prepared for tonight's band concert at the Capitol. This will mark the seventh in the series of Winter concerts given by the band of the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish. Pearl Hagman Mowatt, soprano, and Robert Frith, basso, are the singers on this occasion, and Bandsman D. Holmes will contribute a solo on an English concertina.

March, "Under Freedom's Banner," Nowowieski; selection, Victor Herbert's Favorites, arr. by Lake; salon piece, "First Heart Throbs," Ellenburg; song, "The Song of Hybreas, the Cretan," Elliott, Mr. Robert Frith, basso; (a) quartette from "Rigoletto," Verdi; (b) sextette from "Lucia," Donnizetti; American sketch, "Down South," Myddleton; concertina solo, selected, Bandsman W. Holmes; song, "The Great Awakening," Kramer, Mrs. Pearl Hagman Mowatt, soprano, accompanied by Mrs. Fay McMillan; airs de ballet (a) "Liselotte, (b) "Lancelot," Adam; march, "Regimental Pride," Heed.

Seymour Hicks Opens at Royal Monday, April 9

For his local debut, Seymour Hicks, well-known as an English light comedian, will appear in four of his successes, opening at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday, April 9, for a week's engagement, with his latest London laughing hit, "Mr. What's His Name" on Monday and Tuesday, followed by a double bill consisting of "Sleeping Partners" and "Scrooge," and "The Man in Dress Clothes" the last two days of the week. "Mr. What's His Name" furnishes an unlimited source of laughter and diversion of the most compelling kind. Adolphe Noblet (Mr. Hicks), is believed to have lost his life in a railway accident. Later believing him dead, his wife marries again. But Adolphe has merely lost his memory and while he is still blank has become a hairdresser, has married and is the father of two pairs of twins. When he arrives at his own home to dress his first wife's hair, the complications commence, affording the star and Miss Ellaine Terris an unexcelled opportunity to display their ability not only as funsters but also a more serious side in a few flashes of real pathos.

"The Man in Dress Clothes" is an excerpt from the life of Lucien, Comte d'Artois, who, because of his unrequited love for his wife, has come to Paris "to drown his sorrows" in the gay life afforded there.

"Scrooge," the dramatic version of Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" and "Sleeping Partners" afford another opportunity for the stars to display their versatility. Seymour Hicks' "Scrooge" will allow local theatre-goers the unusual opportunity of seeing a light comedian who can jump from light comedy to tragedy in the wink of an eyelash.

"The Story of Everest," an absorbing film record of the last tragic climb of that mountain, is to be seen for the last time this evening at the American Laboratory Theatre, 222 East Fifty-Fourth Street, New York.

The Mark Hambourg Recital
APRIL 4

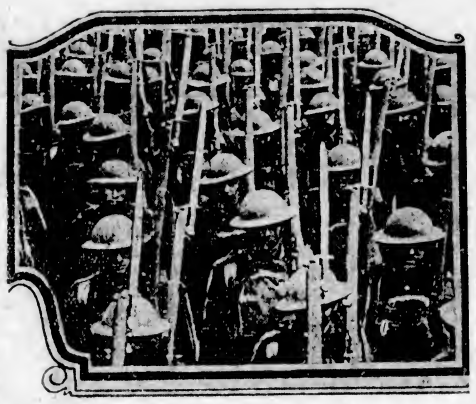
NOTICE—Ticket sale closes at Fletcher Bros., Wednesday noon. Opens at First Baptist Church 7:45 sharp.

GERMANS PICTURE WORLD STRUGGLE

Teuton Side of Great War Given Private View in London and Gets Release Shortly

The German film, "The World War," which was privately shown in London recently, in anticipation of its public appearance, is for the most part a collection of scenes photographed during the war on the German fronts, says The Times. Mr. Boyd Cable has to some extend reorganized it for the purpose of British exhibition, giving to the part played by Great Britain an occasional emphasis, which, we understand, was lacking in the original version, and introducing here and there subtitles, quoted from German documents, which seemed to him necessary to give a clear understanding of the course of events. Though he has performed his task with tact and obviously with a desire to avoid distortion of the main German narrative, the British method of presentation is not without disadvantages. It is disconcerting in a German film to see British troops marching to the tune of "Tipperary," and the British Fleet putting to sea to the strains of "Rule Britannia." A part of the audience applauds; another part may reasonably feel that the authenticity, and so the genuine interest, of a German war film is being undermined.

Apart from these changes, the picture is faithfully German. It passes in rapid review the principal military events of the first year of the war—the German advance in the West, the retreat from the Marne (of which the German explanation is given), the struggle for the Channel ports, and the battles of Hindenburg in the East. The pictures of fighting differ very little from other pictures of the same kind with which we have become familiar, but what does give an unusual interest to the present series is its use of strategical diagrams. The are of necessity rough and a trifle hasty, but they give lucidity to a difficult and scattered narrative. But the general impression left by the film is that, matched with its subject, it is surprisingly dull, perhaps because it is, at any rate in the version which we see, so remarkably discreet.



THE SPIRIT OF "THE SOMME"
The massive British war-epic film that is being presented this week on the silver screen of the Coliseum Theatre.

William Heughan to Play in Victoria on April 30 and May 1

En route for Australia and New Zealand, William Heughan, the famous dramatic song interpreter, will appear in Victoria on April 30 and May 1. Since last visiting here, he has been adding to his successes in London and other cities in the British Isles and has met with enthusiastic receptions wherever he has appeared. The critics, one and all, acclaim his art as something more than mere song, while the public find in him an artist after their own hearts. This is well illustrated by the following extract from The Vancouver Sun: "William Heughan's uncanny power of holding an audience in thrall was, I am sure, never more strongly manifested than on Tuesday night, when a large and brilliant house, by the intelligence and fervor of its enthusiasm, showed that he was most welcome back to Vancouver." He will be assisted by Gladys Sayer, the brilliant solo pianiste and accompaniste from the Brussels Conservatoire, and Maud Bell, the distinguished English 'cellist, who is an artist well known in London and the principal cities of Europe.

Senator Borah, discussing an unsmiled and said:

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"It reminds me of the English butler. His employer said to him: "Heuston, I bet you've been at my Scotch."

"Hexcuse me, sir," said Heuston, in his haughty way. "Hexcuse me, but I don't bet."

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

INEXPENSIVE BEEF

Many housewives who are forced to prepare food for large families, but whose incomes are limited, often leave meat out of the diet two or three days in the week and substitute some starchy food in its place. Potatoes, beans, or macaroni and cheese should not be considered meat substitutes, and if used at all should be taken at some meal in the day which will not interfere with the meat or protein meal. Here are some suggestions for those who wish to use meat once a day and still keep the cost to the minimum.

Brisket and rump are the cheapest cuts of beef meat, and may be prepared in a wholesome manner by boiling. The meat should be tied up to preserve its shape, put into boiling water, plenty of vegetables added, and allowed to simmer gently until done.

Round steak may be prepared in the same manner by boiling, or may be broiled or pan-broiled if properly hammered to break up the connective tissue. For pan-broiling the fat should be removed and the steak cooked in a dry pan, the meat being turned every second or two so that it is singed each time, but not overly burned; round steak may also be prepared into what is called a Salisbury steak. All fat and gristle are removed from the meat and it is run through the meat grinder. This ground beef is then formed into patties one-half of an inch in thickness, placed in a dry pan, and baked in a hot oven for about five minutes. I believe this is the most nutritious and healthful way to prepare any kind of beef meat, no matter what price you pay for it.

Sirloin steak should be cooked by either broiling under the fire or by pan-broiling. A porterhouse steak is something like the sirloin, but costs ten cents more per pound. This is just a "choice" cut because there are less of them to the carcass. When the porterhouse or sirloin steak has had the bone removed it sells for eighty cents a pound, while the filet part is still more expensive, bringing ninety cents a pound. These expensive steaks are all right for those who can afford to pay the price, or for those who wish to entertain and make an impression, but the ninety cent filet is in no way superior in food value to the thirty cent round steak.

Many of my patients who can well afford to pay for the more expensive cuts of beef have now learned to use round steak purely because they enjoy its flavor.

One must not confuse the ground round steak with the ordinary Hamburger sold in the shops. Although Hamburger meat may be perfectly wholesome when made entirely from good pieces of meat; it nevertheless usually contains a large amount of fat and is not as easily digested as the ground round steak from which all fat and gristle have been removed. One pound of round steak usually makes enough Salisbury steak for three people, as there is about a quarter of a pound of fat, gristle and bone to be removed. This leaves a quarter of a pound apiece for each, which is usually enough meat for the day. The cost, therefore, is about ten cents a person, and a few cents more apiece will supply all the salad and cooked non-starchy vegetables to make a well combined and nutritious meal.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy are advised that his address is Builders Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

Mr. Henry Ford Off for Britain With Mrs. Ford

NEW YORK, March 31.—Henry Ford, accompanied by Mrs. Ford, sailed for Europe today aboard the liner Majestic.

It was the automobile manufacturer's first trip abroad since his famous voyage to Norway on the "peace ship" in 1915, which was designed to "get the boys out of the trenches by Christmas."

Mrs. Ford was crossing for the first time.

The Majestic's destination is Southampton, England, and Mr. Ford said his visit would be confined to England, Scotland and Ireland, and he did not think there would be any "business connected with it."

Pottery Classes Close

At the closing of the pottery classes in connection with the Government night school on Thursday evening, there was a full attendance of students, who have spent an interested and satisfactory year, and whose progress has been gratifying to themselves and their instructor. After the work had been finished, supper was served in the workroom at the Boys' Central School. The table decorations were pink carnations in vases made by the students; the cups, saucers and plates used for the supper were also examples of the handicraft of the class, and made from British Columbia clays. Mrs. Margaret Grute was presented by her class with a week-end suitcase as a mark of their appreciation and affection.

A wider interest is being taken in the art of pottery making, and much enthusiasm is being shown by the students. Mrs. Edwards, who has given valuable assistance in the difficult task of preparing the clays, was also presented with a bouquet of flowers.

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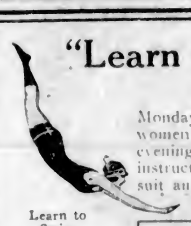

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Vancouver Assizes

VANCOUVER, March 31.—With the opening of the Spring Assizes at 11 a.m. Monday, Mr. Justice Morrison, trial judge, will submit seventeen indictments to the grand jury. J. Pitcairn Hogg will be Crown prosecutor. It is expected that the first case called will be that of the retrial of Angus Nicholson on a charge of murdering Marshall Douglas last year.

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Armour, Duncan and Diegel Testify That Even the Best Can Go Wrong

They Admit That Three of the Worst Holes on Record Belong to Them

By BUNKER

Well, friends, the sod once more is taking on that wholesome sweet scent which, in the North at this time of year, comes from the proper mixture of damp earth and greening grass. In another week the southern trek of Winter golfers will be coming to an end. The great army of club wielders which has been idle across the frosted stretches of the United States since last Autumn already is beginning to unlimber its heavy artillery and bombard fairway and rough and bunker. For a majority of the golfers of this glorious land a season of alternative joy and sorrow is at hand.

Perhaps more sorrow than joy! The one rotten hole that spoils an otherwise neat round will canker many a soul henceforth. Millions of times between now and next December, tortured, regretful gentlemen will pause between the eighteenth green and the locker-room to say:

"If it hadn't been for that one bad hole—."

To such we offer the well-known comfort, "The best of 'em have their off rounds." In proof of this, herewith is appended the testimony of three well-known golfers, Tommy Armour, George Duncan and Leo Diegel. They will describe three tough-luck holes of which they were three unhappy victims. Cut these sad tales out and paste them in your cap. When things go wrong this Summer, read what Tommy, George and Leo have said. "The best of 'em go wrong." Indeed they do—be comforted.

DIEGEL'S SAD TALE

"One of the worst holes I ever had," says Leo Diegel, "came during an open tournament at Asheville, N.C., in 1922.

"The second hole was an easy one of 135 yards. I had no trouble with it the first day, and when I saw Clarence Hackney take five strokes on it in the afternoon I kidded him unmercifully.

"'You'd better watch out,' he retorted. 'You may take twice five on this hole tomorrow.'

"Neither he nor I thought that he was foretelling what actually would take place. But he was.

"The next morning I played a perfect shot at the second. Distance and direction were great. I made but one mistake—I put too much backspin on the ball.

"The blamed thing bounced back, and, the green having quite a slope at the front, trickled off it. It landed in a drain hole.

"I used seven more strokes before I got back on the green. I needed two putts to get down. Twice five is ten. That was my number. Maybe Clarence didn't give me the ha-ha!"

GEORGE DUNCAN'S TRAGEDY

"In the 1921 Shawnee open, which then was supposed to settle the Eastern championship, I ran into deep trouble at the old 380-yard fourth hole," says George Duncan.

"A drive and a pitch would have put you on the green. But you had to play your second shot right. If you were short, your ball dropped into a deep ravine, at the bottom of which was a brook.

"Well, my pitch was short. I got over the brook, but my ball stopped almost against a twenty-foot bank on the side of the ravine next the green.

"My third shot failed to clear the bank. The ball rolled back into the brook. I counted a stroke and lifted out, but number five didn't get over the bank either. Back to the brook came the ball.

"I lifted, making me six. Number seven was just like number five. I lifted again, counting eight and finally reached the green with number nine. Two putts gave me a count of eleven—eleven strokes on a 380-yard hole!"

AND ARMOUR'S MISERY

"One of the most heart-breaking holes I ever had," relates Tommy Armour, "developed during the finals of the North of Scotland championship at Pitlochry, in 1910, while I was still an amateur. My opponent in the finals was the well-known W. B. Torrance.

"After a bad start, I ran off eight successive threes, winning six holes, and keeping the match even.

"At the sixteenth tee Torrance was one up. Trying to clear a dog-leg, he topped his drive and went into bad rough, so that, for a moment, it looked as though I would square things, particularly as I drove over the dogleg with ease.

"Eighty yards short of the flag was a rocky ledge. On this ledge sat a boy. My ball hit him and stopped dead on the very edge of the ledge.

"To play my ball I had to stand at the bottom of the ledge, almost on tip toes, and reach above my head with a niblick and club at the ball just like I was trying to dislodge an apple on a tree. I hit too hard and the pellet crossed the green and rolled out of bounds. I had to play another from the same spot.

"Stroke number four was a complete miss. Shooting at an object four feet or five feet above your head isn't easy. Number five got me away from the ledge. I was on the green in six and down in eight.

"Torrance wasn't much better. He took seven strokes. This left me two down, but although I won the seventeenth hole, he halved the eighteenth. He took the title."

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BURKE WINS BY SEVEN STROKES

New York Professional Takes North and South Open Title After Four Brilliant Rounds

TOMMY ARMOUR NEXT IN LINE

PINEHURST, N.C., March 31.—Starting the final round with a seven-stroke lead, Billk Burke, young professional of New York, who first began tournament golf two years ago, today became the United North and South Open golf champion with a 73-69-74-75-291 for the seventy-two holes of medal play. Nearest to him at the finish was Tommy Armour, National Open champion, who had a 73-223-296. Johnny Farrell, winner of the recent $15,000 Miami Beach Open, was next at 73-224-297, and Tommy Harmon, of New York, fourth with 76-223-299.

Old Country Football

LONDON, March 31. — League football games today resulted as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
First Division

Arsenal 2, Birmingham 2.
Aston Villa 3, Manchester U. 1.
Bury 2, Huddersfield 3.
Derby 7, Cardiff 1.
Leicester 2, The Wednesday 2.
Liverpool 1, Middlesbrough 1.
Portsmouth 1, Bolton 0.
Sheffield United 3, Tottenham 1.
Sunderland 0, Everton 2.
West Ham 4, Blackburn 3.
Burnley 5, Newcastle 1.

Second Division

Barnsley 0, Notts County 0.
Fulham 1, Southampton 0.
Hull City 1, West Bromwich 1.
Leeds 4, Blackpool 0.
Manchester City 5, Clapton 3.
Notts Forest 2, Chelsea 2.
Port Vale 2, Grimsby 2.
Preston 5, Bristol City 1.
South Shields 0, Reading 0.
Swansea 1, Stoke 1.
Wolverhampton 3, Oldham 1.

Third Division

Southern Section

Bristol Rovers 1, Southend U. 3.
Charlton 2, Northampton 2.
Coventry 0, Millwall 3.
Gillingham 0, Luton 4.
Merthyr Town 1, Bournemouth 1.
Newport-Crystal Palace postponed.
Plymouth 2, Brighton 0.
Queen's Park R. 2, Torquay 3.
Swindon 3, Exeter City 0.
Walsall 4, Brentford 2.
Watford 2, Norwich 0.

Northern Section

Accrington 2, Wrexham 0.
Ashington 4, Stockport 1.
Bradford City 2, Rochdale 2.
Crewe Alexandria 4, Barrow 1.
Darlington 3, Tranmere 7.
Doncaster 2, Bradford 0.
Halifax-Nelson not played.
Hartlepool-Durham not played.
Lincoln City 2, Southport 0.
New Brighton 1, Rotherham 1.
Wiganboro 3, Chesterfield 2.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
First Division

Aberdeen 3, St. Mirren 2.
Celtic 4, Bo'ness 1.
Cowdenbeath 2, Airdrieo 1.
Dundee 1, Raith Rovers 2.
Falkirk 2, Hibernians 2.
Hearts 0, St. Johnstone 2.
Kilmarnock 3, Hamilton 1.
Motherwell 1, Partick 3.
Queen's Park 4, Dunfermline 0.
Rangers 3, Clyde 1.

Second Division

Albion Rovers 6, St. Bernard 2.
Arbroath 2, East Stirling 2.
Armadale 3, Ayr United 1.
Arthurlie 1, Alloa 0.
Dumbarton 3, Dundee United 0.
East Fife 1, Stenhousemuir 3.
King's Park 1, Bathgate 0.
Leith 2, Third Lanark 3.
Queen of South-Clydebank not played.
Morton 2, Forfar 1.

IRISH LEAGUE
Cup Final

Larne 1, Willowfield 1.

Belfast City Cup

Glenavon 2, Linfield 1.
Portadown 3, Ards 1.
Newry 3, Glentoran 1.

RUGBY LEAGUE
Challenge Cup Semi-finals

Swinton 5, Hull 3.
Warrington 9, Leeds 2.

League Games

Barrow 14, St. Helens 10.
Batley 13, Castleford 7.
Halifax 12, Wakefield 8.
Hunslet 15, Dewsbury 3.
Oldham 10, Wigan Highfield 2.
Featherstone 27, Rochdale 3.
Keighley 12, Bramley 2.

RUGBY UNION

Blackheath 0, Bristol 8.
Harlequins 0, Bristol 10.
London Welsh 6, Bath 11.
Old Alleynians 0, Rosslyn Park 12.
Old Leytonians 8, Guy's 11.
Old Blues 3, London Scottish 21.
Old Merchant Taylors 3, Manchester 0.
Richmond 0, Bradford 13.
Aberavon 6, Abertillery 0.
Cardiff 3, Llanelly 6.
Coventry 11, Moseley 3.
Crumlin 6, Pontypool 3.
Leicester 18, Gloucester 6.
Northampton 29, St. Mary's Hospital 0.
Neath 20, Devonport Services 3.
New Brighton 0, Birkenhead P. 17.
Plymouth Albion 21, St. Barts 5.
Penarth 6, Swansea 8.
Glasgow Acads 27, West of Scotland 3.

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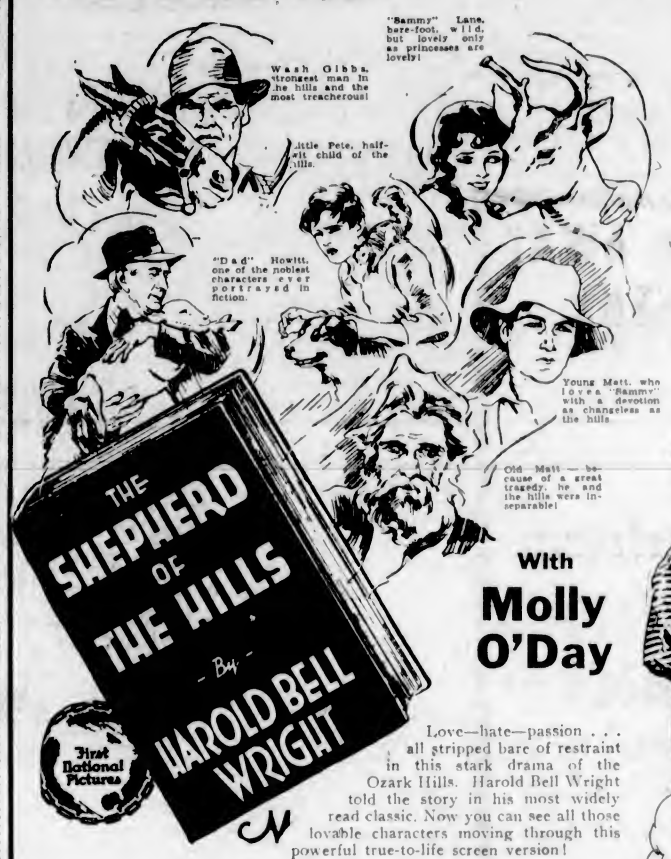

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Leading California Net Stars to Play in B.C.

Johnny Risko Is Certain Entry for Western Canadian Championships—Bradshaw, Harrison and Lockwood May Appear

VANCOUVER, March 31. — Bradshaw Harrison and Sherman Lockwood, leading Californian tennis players, now attending the University of Oregon, may represent Portland in the Pacific Northwest sectional tournament at Jericho, June 26 to 30. The status as residents of Oregon will come before the next meeting of the Pacific Northwest Tennis Association, tentatively fixed for April 14, at Seattle, according to advices received by H. Cardinall, Western vice-president of the Canadian Lawn Tennis Association. Cardinall plans to attend the meeting.

Last year Harrison and Lockwood represented California in Northwest tournaments, Harrison winning the Oregon and Washington State championship events, and reaching the semi-finals of the Canadian championships here. Both men are included on the University of Oregon tennis team this year, but it is problematic as to whether or not they will be allowed to officially represent a Portland club in the P.N.W. event here.

John Risso, California tennis star, is an almost certain entry in the Western Canadian championships, scheduled for the Vancouver Club's courts during the week of July 22-28. Risso made a remarkable showing in Northwest tournaments last year, reaching the semi-finals in the Canadian championships. Wally Bates, another Californian well known to Vancouver tennis followers, is also expected to come up for the Western title meet.

SOFTBALL UMPIRES' ASSOCIATION WILL BE FORMED LOCALLY

Further growth of softball is brought to light by the proposed formation of an umpires' association in Victoria. This body, which is being organized under the presidency of E. Stock, well-known ball umpire, will aid materially in bettering hte class of ball. Any person interested in the formation of this body should get in touch with Mr. Stock immediately.

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Oak Bay Development Reflects Much Credit

Individuals Have Joined Municipal Enterprise in Improving Property—Uplands Subdivision Resumes Its Popularity for High-Class Homes

In reviewing the year 1927 as regards Oak Bay, it gives the utmost satisfaction to note that the improvement in land values, which was promised in 1926, has been most marked and a return to normalcy appears to be now assured.

Vacant property in a growing community will always be a field for speculative investment. Unlike stocks and bonds, which have an annual dividend either present or future, to guide an investor as to their market value, the value of vacant lots is entirely dependent on public sentiment. Residential lots do not change in natural characteristics, yet their market value over a period of years will be subject to wide fluctuations. These fluctuations are obviously due to public opinion which at times of financial depression is pessimistic and at times of prosperity is unduly optimistic.

Owing to the careful management of the affairs of the municipality the year 1924, which was probably the point of greatest depression, found Oak Bay in a position to respond easily to improved conditions. The municipality had gone through the lean years without unduly increasing either the assessment or mill rate and emerged from the crisis with a tax rate that was an attraction to home seekers, and which is being steadily reduced as improvement continues.

HOME BUILDING

Building activities were noticeable in 1926, but in 1927 there has been considerable development and it is interesting to note that of the eighty-nine houses erected in that year only few were built by contractors for resale.

In addition to new houses, the end of 1927 finds the supply of older houses limited, and the bargain hunter has a long and weary dance in search of the property at a price of fifty cents in the dollar that he was so glibly promised on the Mainland to be waiting for him on his arrival.

A point of note is that building activities have taken place on almost every street in the municipality, so that no section can claim to have been neglected.

The return of Uplands is an outstanding feature. Uplands is, taking everything into consideration, the finest subdivision on the continent, and its neglect previous to 1924 was a clear indication of the lack of confidence in the future. The end of 1927 finds all houses that were on the market in 1924 disposed of with one exception. It finds all privately owned lots which were for sale at a price below list price disposed of. Also, fourteen new houses have been erected in this subdivision.

A cause for congratulation is the fact that expensive homes are again being erected. The investment of $20,000 or more in a home is an expression of confidence in the future of the municipality, and 1927 has seen the erection of many such homes.

WATERFRONT VALUES

The above facts are in themselves significant, but it is in the market prices of vacant property that the greatest change is found. In 1924 waterfront lots were sold for $1,000; 1927 found a demand for similar lots at $3,000. On Newport Avenue a lot was sold in 1924 for $250; in 1927 at $800. Lots were sold at auction on St. Patrick Street for $200 or $300; in 1927 these lots brought from $400 to $600, and so all down the list.

The above are facts and must indeed be satisfactory to the public at large and Oak Bay property owners in particular.

It is also a source of great satisfaction to know that the Council realizes the truth of the maxim, "A polished front door denotes a tidy house within," and that in 1928 they intend reconditioning Oak Bay Avenue and Newport Avenue and paving these streets right across the car line, thus removing an eyesore.

No notes on Oak Bay could be complete without an expression of regret at the retirement of the municipal engineer, Mr. Fowler, who for many years conducted his department with the greatest ability. The Municipal Council has at all times shown willingness to cooperate with the public, and their willingness to give all information to the public free of charge has undoubtedly had its effect on the upward trend of thir affairs. The financial condition of Oak Bay at the end of 1927 was stronger than ever, while the high standard of the schools is proverbial. The taxpayers are to be generally congratulated on a condition which could only be brought about by a series of efficient councils and by a thoroughly competent staff, at the head of which is their municipal clerk, whose ability, hard work, and interest in the municipality is always a matter of favorable public comment.

Simon Fraser, the courageous explorer, who proved by his heroism that the great river of the West was not the Columbia, but another, and explored it from its source to the sea, died in comparative poverty on April 19, 1862, at St. Andrew in Cornwall township.

NATURAL BEAUTY TO BE ENHANCED

Grounds of Beach Hotel Lend Themselves Particularly to Landscape Gardening

In laying out the grounds of the Beach Hotel, simplicity has been the keynote, the best being made of nature's most skilful work.

The lovely Chinese wisteria (wisteria chinensis) has been planted on the south side of the building. Here and there are borders of English lavender. Underneath the windows of the lounge in the rear is a rockery border running from the southeast corner to the steps. The natural beauty of the massive rock is occasionally brightened with a rambler rose trained over the surface. On the south side from the rear of the hotel down to the boundary line, is a massive dry wall after the Yorkshire style, believed to be the longest in Victoria, 100 yards in all. Dwarf bell flowers, such as pusilla, mutalis and garganica, alpine pinks, including dellordes and arvernensis, thrifts, soapwort (saponaria), alyssum and hypericums, thymes, etc., rock spray (coloneaster), saxifrages, etc., are to turn this margin of the garden into a riot of color, accentuated by the green lawn at its base.

A rock-bordered path leading toward the sea will be brightened by a pink and mauve border in terrace form. It is intended to extend the cultivation of the grounds as time progresses.

The gilia capitata is too fine a little flower to be overlooked when planting the season's supply of annuals. It blooms over a long period and is charming in the garden, the plant growing two feet high. It is equally lovely for cutting and for Winter bouquets, retaining its pleasing form and dainty color when dried.

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Special Attention Is Given to Cuisine And Salt Water Baths Available

ALL that architects, contractors, finishers, furnishers and gardeners can conceive for the personal comfort and pleasure of hotel guests has been embodied in the new Beach Hotel, situated on Beach Drive, near the Oak Bay links of the Victoria Golf Club, which will be officially opened on April 2, by Capt. W. Merston and his associates. The Beach Hotel is ultra-modern in its design and appointments.

Built in Tudor style, but finished with California stucco, the outward appearance of the hostelry presents a pleasing combination of old and new architecture. The interior presents the same pleasant appearance. Rough-hewn timbers and stucco walls land an atmosphere entirely distinct to any other hotel on this coast.

Erected on a high bluff, a magnificent view of the Gulf of Georgia, with its many wooded islands and Mount Baker in the background, is afforded the guests from the spacious lounge, the dining-room, sleeping porch or seafront bedroom. Enhancing the beauty of this scene, the hotel gardener is laying out rock gardens and velvety lawns. Already many corners of the property present a galaxy of color as the early Spring flowers unfold into bloom.

A wide, sweeping drive leads up to the hotel entrance. Rock gardens border each side of the driveway. The entrance to the hotel has the appearance of the portal to an old English manor.

ENTRANCE HALL

On the right of the entrance hall is the manager's office and register desk. The corridor leads directly into the spacious lounge-room, finished in stained, hewn half-timbers and California washable stucco of toned hue. A giant built-in fireplace, capable of burning logs six feet in length, gives a cosy appearance to the room, which is furnished with many Chesterfield suites. The windows afford a beautiful marinescape.

Another feature very noticeable upon entering the building is the wrought iron lamps installed in all the corridors and main rooms.

The dining-room, capable of seating 100 persons, is entered from the lounge, and also contains a big open fireplace with a hand-hewn mantel. A splendid view is also obtained from this room. Opening out from one side of the dining-room is a balcony where afternoon teas will be served. On the other side is a private dining-room.

Carpets for the lounge-room have been made especially for the hotel in India, while the carpeting for the remainder of the building was manufactured in Toronto.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The hotel contains forty double bedrooms and eight suites, capable of housing eighty guests. Each room is equipped with a private telephone, while the hotel will have its own switchboard.

In the kitchen everything is most up to date, with all the most modern appliances installed. A Frigidaire plant has been put in, while all the crockery was imported from England, with the crest of the Beach Hotel stamped upon it.

The kitchen will be under the supervision of a French chef, who has had considerable experience with a number of Canadian Pacific hotels. He was brought out to Victoria with the Borden expedition that visited this city last year on their trip into northern waters with the schooner yacht Northern Light. Upon completing this trip, the chef was engaged by Captain Merston.

The first room to greet the eye upon proceeding upstairs is a cosy card and sitting-room. At the front of the hotel, upstairs, are two front-room suites that are provided with sleeping porches. These are composed of a sitting-room with an open fireplace, a bedroom and a private bathroom. All the bedrooms are equipped with steel beds, while the furniture, manufactured locally, has been ducoed to match the color of the beds. Every bedroom door is equipped with a novel iron knocker of special design.

Another feature of the bedrooms will be the blankets to be used in place of the usual hotel comforter. These blankets have been made by the French peasants of Quebec, sponsored by the Canadian Handicraft Association. They have all been done in colors to harmonize with the rest of the bedroom fixtures.

At either end of the hotel upstairs are two three-room suites composed of two bedrooms and a sitting-room. A number of the single rooms are located on the ground floor of the building.

In the attic the management intends to equip a children's playroom.

All the heating for the building will be provided for by an electrol oil hot water furnace.

In the basement are the quarters for the servants, including bedrooms, a sitting-room and a private bathroom.

In the front of the hotel, facing the water, the management will construct beautiful lawns and rockeries. The hotel's property stretches right to the water's edge. At the foot of the property there is a bay with a nice beach, which will be a big attraction for the guests in the Summertime.

SWIMMING POOL

Another feature that should be quite an attraction is the salt water swimming pool. Many years ago the late Reeve W. E. Oliver, of Oak Bay, who at one time owned this property, built a concrete swimming pool. The structure is still there, and Captain Merston intends to repair the pool and have it in first-class condition by the time Summer arrives. A pump will be installed so that the water can be renewed when required. A diving board will be put up and, with a hot Summer's sun beating down, the water will be at a nice temperature in a very short time. The pool will be about eight feet in depth at its deepest point.

Another feature of the inside construction is the rough-hewn pillars in the main lounge. This timber strikes the eye immediately as something new, and also adds to the beauty of the room.

The hotel is equipped with a modern electric fire alarm.

THE MANAGEMENT

The hotel will be managed by J. A. Turner, formerly associated with the Canadian National Hotels. Mrs. Turner, who will also assist in the management of the hotel, has had a great deal of experience in hotels, both in Canada and the Old Country. With these two people looking after the interests of the guests they are assured of the best possible service and comfort. Mr. Turner's father, the late J. H. Turner, was at one time Premier of British Columbia and later Agent-General for British Columbia at London.

An interesting fact given out by Captain Merston was that of the $100,000 spent on the construction of the hotel, every cent has been given to Victoria merchants and contractors.

With all these wonderful features and also the magnificent view, it is expected the new hotel will be a big drawing card to the Summer tourists.

HOTEL PLACED ON FINE SITE

Beach Hotel Is in Centre of Sea, Sport and Social Amenities of Oak Bay District

Oak Bay is regarded as the choicest residential district of Victoria, and the growth of hotels and apartment houses with easy access to the sea recently has been a clear proof of its increasing popularity. Beautiful sites for golf links are not uncommon in the West, where scenery adds so much to the pleasures of amateur sport, but the Victoria Golf Club is admittedly most fortunate in its location overlooking the sea.

As the best locations between the Uplands and Gonzales Hill are taken up, it will be increasingly difficult to provide for such beautiful sites for hotels as that obtained by Captain Merston for the Beach Hotel. Sea, sport and social amenities are unrivaled in this neighborhood, and the location is likely to appeal particularly to residents of Oriental cities who come to Vancouver Island in increasing numbers to holiday each season, particularly to escape the hot weather of the China coastal regions.

Conqueror's Seal Is Traced After Many Centuries

An historical writer named Maitland stated 200 years ago that he had seen in a bag the seal originally affixed to the Charter which William the Conqueror gave the City of London after the Conquest, but the fragments remaining of the seal have been put together and identified only recently. This has been the work of Mr. A. H. Thomas, Clerk of the Records at the Guildhall, London.

Mr. Thomas, who thought the fragments in a silk bag that had lain among the records for years were actually parts of the original seal, worked out the jig-saw puzzle thus provided for him. The result he took to the British Museum, where his opinions were confirmed.

The charter to which it belonged was a promise not to interfere with the laws of succession in the family, and the following is a translation of the document: "William, King, greets William, Bishop, and Gosfregdh, Portreeve, and all the Burgesses within London. French and English, friendly. And I give you to know that I will that ye be of all those laws worthy that ye were in King Edward's day. And I will that every child be his father's heir after his father's day, and I will not suffer that any man should offer you any wrong. God keep you."

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New Device Will Cut Out Vibration On Logging Engine

LADYSMITH, March 31. — The Timberland Company recently installed a most modern device on its extra size logging engine, which is the largest of its kind on the Pacific Coast. The installation of this new device, which is a reciprocating cam counterbalance, eliminates all vibration. It was designed by Mr. E. J. Lewis, Cory, Pa.

Grand Lodge Mason Pays Official Visit to Ladysmith Branch

LADYSMITH, March 31.—Mr. F. G. Fox, of Alberni, district representative of the Grand Lodge of Masons in British Columbia, paid an official visit to the local lodge on Wednesday evening. After the regular business of the meeting had been disposed of a social evening was enjoyed, the visitor being the guest of honor, in the Knights of Pythias Hall.

Keating Tennis Club Elects Its Officers

KEATING, March 31.—The Keating Tennis Club held a meeting in the school on Friday evening which was well attended. Mr. J. Hafer presided, and the election of officers for the coming season resulted as follows: President, Mr. N. Tanner; vice-president, Miss W. Styan; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. Bate; directors, Mrs. G. Hafer and Mr. H. Seymour.

The greater part of the time was spent in discussing the practicability of making a cement or board court. It was felt that the expense was too great for this season, and it was decided to approach the school board as to resurfacing the present ones. Mr. Oxley reported very fully on the prices of cement and board courts, and it was decided to work through the coming season with the end in view of constructing a permanent court next year.

It was decided to raise the membership fee to $2 for the season, and all other plans for the preparation of the court were left in the hands of the directors.

FLORAL EXHIBITS WANTED FOR SHOW

SIDNEY, March 31.—The horticultural society recently organized in Sidney, although called the North Saanich Horticultural Society, includes the district as far as Royal Oak, and anyone within that radius wishing to join will be heartily welcomed.

The society is making a special effort to obtain the finest flowers and rare specimens for its exhibit in the Vancouver Island Horticultural Show, to be held in Victoria on April 27-28, and would appreciate any specimens for its display. Anyone having these flowers is asked to get in touch with the secretary, Mrs. Hammond, or with Mrs. J. White.

The members of the society are asked to remember the Professor John McCowan Trophy, offered next year, for the best mounted collection of wallflowers.

United Choir Will Render "Crucifixion"

COLWOOD, March 31.—A united choir of twenty-five voices drawn from the parishes of Langford, Metchosin and Colwood will render Stainer's "Crucifixion" in St. John's Church, Colwood, on Tuesday next at at 8 p.m., and not Wednesday as previously announced. Soloists will be: Tenor, Mr. C. Blogg, Colwood; bass, Mr. Pennington, Metchosin; conductor, Major Watts, Victoria; organist, Miss James, Colwood.

At the request of Rev. Bolton the cantata will be sung by the choir at St. Mary's Church, Metchosin, on Good Friday evening, at 8 o'clock.

FORESTERS' SOCIAL

LADYSMITH, March 31.—A most successful card social was held in the Foresters' Hall on Wednesday under the auspices of the members of Court Primrose. Prize winners were Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. Provis, Miss M. Doherty and Messrs. L. Hequeiran, W. R. Wilson and A. McKinnon.

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Squire Green—Well, the deacon trimmed me on a hoss trade once.

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Completes Arrangements Whereby Victoria Petroleum Becomes Part of Organization

Home Oil Distributors, Limited, have completed arrangements with the Victoria Petroleum, Limited, whereby this company is now a part of the organization of Home Oil Distributors, Limited. Recently the Associated Dealers of Victoria was purchased by Home Oil Distributors, Limited, and is now included in the organization of Victoria Petroleum, Limited, which organization constitutes the distributors for Greater Victoria and that portion of Vancouver Island south of Duncan.

The Vancouver Island concerns have already established close connections with chains of stations and retail distribution points in the territory covered, and are well known as distributors of reliable products, and the giving of efficient service.

Home Oil Distributors, Limited, are refiners, producers, and as the name implies, distributors of gasoline and other petroleum products, which includes a full line of lubricating oils and greases for all purposes. This company is the distributing company of the Home Oil Company, Limited, and is financed entirely by Western Canadian capital. The directorates of these companies include some of the most prominent business men of British Columbia and Alberta. Recently entering the field of distribution of Home gasoline and other Home Oil products, the business has received the hearty support of the public because of the high quality of the products and the fact that the company is a strictly Western Canadian concern. Capt. J. W. Troup, a well known resident of Victoria, is one of the directors of Home Oil Company, Limited, and has taken an especially active interest in the development of operations on the Island. Plans are now under consideration for the expansion of the distribution system and service which will be offered the Island public.

The board of directors of Home Oil Distributors, Limited, is as follows: W. J. Blake Wilson, president; Austin C. Taylor, George Kidd, Col. Victor Spencer, C. V. Cummings, W. W. Boultbee, George S. Harrison, and Major J. R. Lowery.

Toad 750,000 Years Old Is Able to Hop

DENVER, March 31.—City Park Museum here was a popular place for curiosity seekers the other day, because of the arrival of a toad estimated to be three-fourths of a million years old.

When a mud ball was received from A. H. Holloman, of Fedrick, Okla., Harold J. Cook, honorary curator, opened it to find what was inside. To his great surprise, out hopped a toad, apparently in normal physical condition.

Officials of the museum said they have no reason to believe the incident is a hoax on the part of the Oklamhoma quarry owner, but they declined to hazard any statement as to how old the toad might be. Cook, however, was willing to explain his reason for placing the estimate on the age of the mud ball and toad.

"The mud ball bears unmistakable evidence of belonging to the first interglacial or Aftonian period," said Cook. "That would make it about three-quarters of a million years old.

"I am familiar with the place where it was found. It is the bed of a prehistoric stream, which is now a hilltop. A number of fossil bones and implements of prehistoric man have been found in the same vicinity. Excavations have been made in the neighborhood by such authorities as Dr. O. P. Hay, of the Smithsonian Institute, and Dr. Gould, of Oklahoma University.

48th Battalion Will Hold Annual Reunion

The annual reunion of the 48th Battalion, C.E.F., will be held at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Saturday, April 21, at 7:30 o'clock. The battalion was recruited at the Willows and left for duty overseas in June, 1916, seeing service in France and Belgium. An excellent programme of entertainment has been arranged. All ex-members of the battalion are urged to make a special effort to attend.

THE OPEN FORUM

Roderick Forrest, of Seattle, one of the members of the trade union and educational delegation which visited Russia last year, will be the speaker at the Open Forum tonight. His subject will be "The Russian Labor Movement Today as Seen by an American Trade Unionist." The meeting will be held in Forum Hall, 717 Pandora Avenue, at 7:30 o'clock.

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Girls' Crepe de Chine Dresses in smart styles, and in Spring shades of rose, green and blue. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Special value at

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Girls' Silk Knit Dresses in new Spring styles, with gathered or pleated skirts, and trimmed with pipings in contrasting shades; in red, green rose and saxe. Sizes 8 to 14 years,

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—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

La Camille Girdles $6.95

La Camille Girdles of pink, silk-stripe swami, side hook, elastic insets, and lightly boned in front. This model has a lace pocket on the side and pink and blue trimming around the top. Four hose supporters. Price **$6.95**

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—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

The Millinery Mode for Easter

Real millinery is now in the ascendant. Exotic straws are shown in great variety, as visca, leghorn, Baku and georgette, trimmed with flowers, ribbon, velvet or lace.

Easter hats with flower trimmings, for matrons and misses both, are a refreshing change and are being shown in a wide range of prices.

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GERMANS OPPOSED TO FEDERATIONS

Prewar Exploitation of Slave Labor and Raw Products Enured to Benefit of Foreign Trade

ACCORDING to a group of cotton planters passing through Port Sudan, on the Red Sea, en route from Kenya Colony to England, there is much concern in British East Africa, especially in Tanganyika Territory, over the rapid increase in the German population of the district, says a correspondent of The New York Times. The planters declare that no doubt exists of Germany's intention to colonize Tanganyika to an extent which will, within a definite time, give the Germans a numerical preponderance and thus make plausible an application to the League of Nations to change the mandate on the ground that a superior German poulation should not be governed by a British administration.

Tanganyika was a very prosperous and rapidly growing German colony before the war. But what is not so well known is that Germany hoped to make it the point of departure for a future vast German empire in Central Africa and that her plans to that end were developing very successfully. Yet the method was quite different from what is understood in England by "colonization." Comparatively few Germans were emigrating to East Africa nor were they encouraged to do so.

The plan was to exploit the resources of the country for the benefit of home industries by forced native labor under the direction of a few German administrators. In this way it was expected not only to develop the land economically but also to gain a great strategic advantage by a continued extension of German holdings as well as by the building of harbors and large naval basca.

These plans, which were more far-reaching and more definitive than was generally known, were defeated by the war; but it is the belief in British East Africa that they were but temporarily laid aside. The trend now is in the direction of "penetration," in other words, by German settlement in the districts concerned. During the last five or six years this has been going on to an extent apparently overlooked by any one outside East Africa.

The question now arising of federation between Tanganyika, Kenya and Uganda has, however, brought it to the fore, and so convinced are the British settlers in all three of the dependencies that they are insisting upon federation as the only means of safeguarding British interests in East Africa and especially in the vast Tanganyika Territory.

MR. HAVELOCK WILSON

Date of Retirement From Seamen's Union to Be Marked by Worthy Testimonial

Mr. Havelock Wilson, president of the National Union of Seamen, who has been fifty years in the trade union movement, will retire in September. He has been connected with the Seamen's Union since its formation, and his membership card is marked No. 1. In recent years Mr. Wilson has devoted himself to the promotion of industrial peace and to fighting the Communists. He also gave his support to the new Miners' Industrial Union, formed by Mr. G. A. Spencer, M.P. Arrangements are being made for the presentation of a testimonial. It will be a golden wedding present as well as a farewell gift on his retirement from the presidency of the union. The sum of £12,000 is aimed at, and a large response has already been made.

MAY EXCLUDE EROS

Exigencies of Traffic May Prevent Return of Famous Statue to Piccadilly Circus

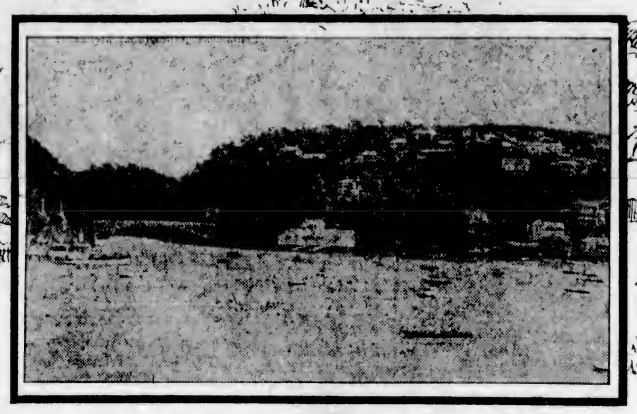
The exigencies of London's traffic may result in the perpetual banishment from Piccadilly Circus of the famous statue of Eros, which used to occupy a site in the centre of the open space there. When, some months ago, the construction of a new subway station under Piccadilly Circus was decided upon, Eros was removed from his pedestal and given a temporary location in the Embankment Gardens. Since then the traffic congestion has increased to such an extent that the authorities are now considering whether the graceful statue with its fountain pedestal (about which a number of woman flower sellers were always to be found) does not occupy too much space to be returned to such a busy neighborhood.

Alderman's Record

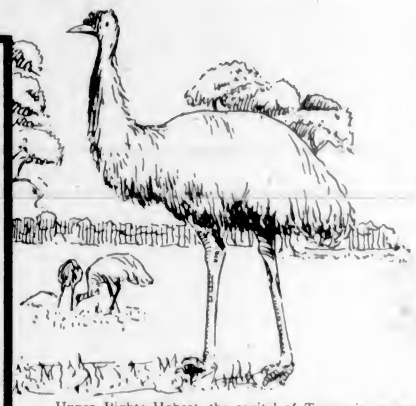
Alderman David Sparvell, of the Surrey County Council, has attended the 500th meeting of one of the committees. He was warmly congratulated by the committee, who recently named after him a new road on the newly-developed estate. Alderman Sparvell, who is eighty-four years of age, was one of the original pupils of the first night school established by Charles Kingsley at Eversley Hants.

Three Picturesque Waterside Scenes in the Australasian Islands

Upper Left: Brisbane, the capital and a seaport of Queensland, about 500 miles north of Sydney, near the mouth of the river of the same name, where it empties into Moreton Bay.



Lower: Showing a suburb of Launceston, Tasmania, the second city of the Island and the chief port for the northern portion of the colony. It is situated about 130 miles by rail from Hobart, the capital.



Upper Right: Hobart, the capital of Tasmania, as seen from across the Derwent River on the south coast of the Island. Hobart does a large export and import trade and has many fine buildings, including the Government Offices, a college, a technical school, two cathedrals, hospital, library, museum and art gallery.

NIGHT TRAVELING

Provision Made for Lying Down Privileges in Third-Class "Carriages" on British Railways

Sleeping accommodation on English trains, obtainable only if travelling first class, has always been expensive. A bill has recently been introduced in Parliament "to provide lying-down accommodation on night journeys in third class railway carriages. The wording is scrupulously accurate in referring to "lying down" rather than to "sleeping" accommodation. Every train which has first class sleeping cars now shall have at least one-fifth of its third class compartments equipped with beds, bunks or "stretchers." The "lying down tickets," as they are called, are to cost only five shillings more than the ordinary third class fare.

EMPRESS VISITS LONELY ISLANDERS

C. P. R. Steamer Brings World's Greetings to People on South Atlantic Rock

As announced in dispatches, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's liner Empress of France, arrived at the Island of Tristan de Cunha, in the South Atlantic, on February 25, at 7 a.m., and sailed again some eight hours later. The landing of all the goods and parcels, including gifts from the King and Queen and a generous donation from passengers on board, was successfully accomplished by the ship's boats in smooth water. Over 100 men, women and children—almost every inhabitant on the Island—came out in boats and were welcomed by the passengers and entertained on board the Empress of France, which was the first ship in nearly a year to leave mail. The Rev. A. C. Pooley expressed thanks on behalf of the inhabitants of the island for the gifts received.

DUTCH TOW DOCK

The contract for towing the new 50,000-ton floating dock from Newcastle, England, 8,500 miles to Singapore, where it will be permanently located, has been awarded to the Dutch firm of L. Smit Company, Rotterdam. The dock leaves the Tyne in June in two sections, each towed by four tugs, and will be four months en route.

The British shipbuilding firm of Swan, Hunter & Wigham, Richardson, Limited, who constructed the dock, were unable to undertake the towing, so they have handed it on, with the British Admiralty's consent, to the Dutchmen, who have specialized in this class of undertaking.

A NON-UNION HEN

A White Wyandotte hen belonging to P. Parker, of Weelsby House, Market Rasen, Lincolnshire, continues to defy all trade union regulations by doubling her output. Experts say even top-notchers in the poultry world are not expected to do this. When a pullet, it began to lay two eggs a day. As the other hens appeared to resent this, the Wyandotte had to be segregated to save her from serious injury. Now she has recommenced laying two or more eggs a day, and her record for one week was Sunday, one; Monday, two; Tuesday, one; Wednesday, two; Thursday, two; Friday, none, and Saturday, four.

IRRIGATION TO COST MILLIONS

Australian States Propose Outlay of Over $42,000,000 in Development of Murray River

NEW PORT PLANNED AT STREAM'S MOUTH

The conference held at Canberra which has been reviewing the policy of the development of the River Murray has decided to limit the construction programme to the next five years, and to reduce the estimated expenditure on water conservation by nearly £7,000,000. The conference also reached agreements designed to co-ordinate development and to prevent expensive production in the areas to be irrigated, and to protect the watershed from erosion and the destruction of forests by fire.

It was decided to recommend the completion of the Hume reservoir to two million acre-foot capacity, of the storage works at Lake Victoria, and of all the weirs and locks up to Mildura, and also weir and lock at Euston.

The subcommittee which considered the construction policy favored the view that the construction of a port at the mouth of the Murray and a barrage in the lower river should be referred by South Australia under the Migration Agreement to the Migration Development Commission. In view of the development of transport facilities by rail and road and the improvement of the river for navigation action is considered unnecessary.

The new programme is estimated to cost £3,500,000, in addition to the £5,000,000 already spent. The Victorian and New South Wales delegates undertook to urge on their governments the prevention of erosion within the watershed, and a vigorous policy of afforestation by planting soft woods where necessary under the Migration Agreement.

It was decided to form a permanent advisory committee for irrigation, development, and production, consisting of two representatives each of the Commonwealth, New South Wales, Victoria and South Australia, to collect information in regard to the production of the Murray Valley and the suitability of the land available for settlement, to investigate market prospects of Australia' abroad, and advise on the co-ordination of production and future development of the Murray Valley. The decisions of the conference are subject to ratification by the states concerned.

Ancient Privilege

The Third Battalion, the Grenadier Guards, under the command of Major W. S. Pilcher, marched from Chelsea Barracks to the Tower of London to take their turn of duty there. They exercised their ancient and cherished privilege of passing through the city with drums beating, colors flying and bayonets fixed. The Lord Mayor, wearing his official robes, and attended by the Sword and Mace bearers and the City Marshal, was on the balcony of the Mansion House as they passed and received their salute.

MORE TEA DRUNK

Since War Drinking of the "Cup That Cheers," Etc., Shows increase in Britain

Englishmen are drinking more tea than ever before. The per capita consumption is now put at approximately nine and one-half pounds a year as compared with six and one-half pounds not long before the war. The consumption of coffee, on the other hand, is only three-fourths pound for each person yearly, whereas in the United States the figures are twelve pounds of coffee to one pound of tea. More than eighty-five per cent of the tea consumed in the United Kingdom is British grown, India and Ceylon are the chief sources, but tea is produced also in Kenya Colony, Nyassaland, and in South Africa.

INDIANS IN KENYA BOYCOTT ELECTION

Refuse to Make Nominations as Protest Against Voters' List as Prepared by Colony

Nominations for four vacant Indian seats in the Kenya Legislature were due on March 3 at Nairobi but as a result of resolutions passed at the recent session of the Indian Congress, no candidates were forthcoming, and the election was boycotted. There is, therefore only one Indian representative in the Legislature. He was elected a year ago, but is not recognized by the Congress as representing the views of the party.

The Indian leaders explain that the boycott of the election is not a policy of nonco-operation, but the logical outcome of the renewed determination of the Indian community to reject the principle of communal franchise and to press for a common roll. At present the voters' register is on a communal basis, and it has been largely extended during the last year, after the Congress in 1926 accepted the advice of the leaders to co-operate in the work of the Colony. It is maintained, however, that after the decisions set forth in the White Paper of 1923, Indians understood that there would be no alterations in the constitution of Kenya until the status of Indians was finally settled.

DEVELOP PALESTINE

Impressive Ceremony Attends Inauguration of Plantation of Balfour Forest

Most impressive ceremonies attended the recent inauguration of the plantation of the Balfour Forest at Ginegar, in the Valley of Jezreel, Palestine. In his address, Sir Alfred Mond paid high tribute to Lord Plumer, the High Commissioner, for the devotion and energy which he has shown during his tenure of office, and also to the work of the Jewish National Fund. The entire cost of the Balfour Forest is being defrayed by British Jewry. Afforestation has been one of the most urgent needs of the country. There is a great lack of trees there, due to neglect and noncultivation for the past hundreds of years. Not only has this given the land a most barren aspect, but it has also made timber a very rare and expensive article. Furthermore, through this, the amount of rainfall has been greatly reduced and all of these conditions have had a tendency greatly to change the nature of the land as it existed in biblical and ancient times.

CITY MANAGERS ACCORDED PRAISE

Irish Cities Find Absence of Aldermanic "Pull" Works for Efficiency and Economy

The paid manager system of local government in the Irish Free State has been so successful that the general public views with growing apprehension any prospect of returning to the old democratic system of unwieldly elected bodies. The public is strengthened in the view that two or three full-time paid administrators can run a city more efficiently, by the fact that since Dublin appointed its three commissioners tax rates have been reduced twenty-five per cent.

A further reduction was announced this week although the efficiency of the municipal service has been increased each year since the commissioners took office. The streets are cleaner and in better repair, numerous housing schemes have been begun and the cost of electricity has been reduced.

There is more civic spirit and civic pride in Dublin since the old corporation was abolished by President Cosgrave than there had been for years. There are no tales of jobbery, while the workers, who in the old days made frequent demands for higher wages, shorter hours and larger pensions, seem more contented. Perhaps it is that they know that the commissioners cannot be influenced like the old councillors, who did not dare make a stand against extravagant demands for fear of losing the votes of the workingmen and their families.

LAD AS "SLAVEY"

Cockney Boy Earns $3 Per Week as Maid-of-All Work in City of London

Seeking employment in a London office, a cockney lad caused astonishment when he confessed that his previous situation had been an engagement at a South London home as a maid-of-all-work. After making repeatedly unsuccessful efforts to obtain "manual" work, this fifteen-year-old lad decided to make a round of offices in the city. "I had to get up very early in the morning," he told his prospective employer, "and my first job was to get the breakfast ready. During the day I had to serve at table, answer the doorbell, scrub the floors, make the beds, run errahds and clean the boots and silver. My employer was very good to me, but the housekeeper was always saying I didn't do enough work. My wages were twelve shillings and sixpence ($3.00) a week, and I had time off when I could get it." He is now employed in the London office and can make an excellent cup of tea.

Hen Convicts Thief

A hen sat, quite literally, in judgment on a criminal case recently in Matlock, England. She not only sat, but laid an egg, thus establishing the guilt of the defendant, one Daniel Petts, beyond plausible appeal. Petts was charged with stealing several hens from a poultry farmer. To test the ownership police took the fowls to the complainant's farm, where they at once showed they were at home, one hen by advancing immediately to her old nest, laying an egg and cackling in judicial confirmation. The defendant was promptly convicted.

RAISED THE WIND

Pickpocket Compels General Sir Ian Wood to Touch Public for Fare Home

General Sir Ian Hamilton recently told how he "raised the wind" after he had addressed a meeting of ex-servicemen at Woking. Before leaving Waterloo Station, London, he found that he had been robbed of his money, amounting to £5. "It was fortunate for me," said Sir Ian, "that the audience carried a vote of thanks to me very enthusiastically. It was my chance. I got up and told them that I intended to capitalize their thanks to the extent of five shillings. For a moment there was amazement, but it soon turned to amusement. I 'touched' the secretary for five shillings eventually, but he turned up trumps and made it a 'quid.'" Sir Ian had enough silver in his pocket to travel third class to Woking, but he would have had difficulty in getting back to London had not the secretary made him an advance.

JAZZ BAND CAUSE OF NAVAL MUTINY

Problem of Dance Orchestra's Personnel Reputed Root of Trouble on Mediterranean Flagship

Many differing interpretations of the trouble between Rear Admiral Collard, commanding the first battle squadron of the Mediterranean fleet and two of his officers on the flagship Royal Oak continue to find their way into print in London. Both The Sunday Times and The Weekly Dispatch trace it fundamentally to "incompatibility of temperament."

The News of the World points out also that, while Admiral Collard had general authority over all the ships in his squadron, Captain Dewar's command of the Royal Oak and Commander Daniel's supervision of discipline thereon was supposed to be absolute in their own spheres. The dispute appears to have arisen over the Admiral's attempt to recruit from the flagship's personnel a band for a dance on board, to which socially prominent persons of Malta were invited.

The Admiralty's secretiveness was slightly relaxed recently, when it issued a statement that the report of a court of inquiry held at Malta had now reached London and was under consideration. It was declared, meanwhile, that "there has been no mutiny or refusal to sail under Admiral Collard, nor has a court-martial yet been held."

This last cause is interpreted as an effort to play down the seriousness of the incident. But an indication that some perturbation exists in official quarters thereover was furnished by the fact that William Clive Bridgeman, the First Lord of the Admiralty, and Rear Admiral Erick Fullerton, Naval Secretary to the First Lord, immediately had an audience with King George at Buckingham Palace.

Tailors' Guild Aghast

The youth of Britain was stunned and Saville Row tailors were thunderstruck when reports were published that the Prince of Wales had appeared at Mansion House wearing trousers with turned-up cuffs with his morning coat. "The Prince made a mistake either with his coat or with his trousers," declared one veteran tailor with conviction.

ADD SACRISTY TO THE ABBEY

Anonymous Donor Renders Possible Immediate Construction of Addition to Empire's Ancient Shrine

TEMPORARY HOUSE TO SHOW EFFECT

An anonymous donor has made it possible for the Dean and Chapter of Westminster to carry out a long-matured plan for the building of a sacristy to meet a growing necessity of the Abbey, says The London Times.

The ground immediately east of the north transept has been chosen—a site largely screened from view by the transept itself, by St. Margaret's Church, and by trees in the precinct. A temporary structure will be erected to test the general effect. The architect is Mr. Walter Tapper, president of the Royal Institute of British Architects.

It will surprise many people to learn that Westminster Abbey has no vestry or sacristy of any kind. An increasing number of great institutions desire to hold their annual service or ceremony of inauguration within the historic walls of Westminster Abbey. The Abbey authorities do all in their power to render these great services in the most dignified and impressive manner.

There is no common meeting place, such as vestries and sacristies provided in other cathedrals. In order to meet this difficulty so far as possible the Dean has been accustomed to lend the Jerusalem Chamber, where the leading dignitaries can assemble and robe; but this has proved altogether inadequate, and even at a consecration of Bishops the chamber is crowded to excess.

LAWYER'S SACRIFICE

Sir John Simon, K.C., Gives Up Lucrative Practice to Fill Public Offices

There are some attractive plums in politics as a career, but few financially good enough to induce a man easily to give up voluntarily an income of between $125,000 and $250,000 a year. Yet, Sir John Simon, K.C., has done it twice. Nearly eighteen years ago, when he was said to be making $125,000 a year in the law courts, he gave it up to become Solicitor-General. His political career was almost as sensational as his legal success. During the war he had become Home Secretary, but he resigned because he did not agree with conscription. For ten years he has been a lawyer again, and his income is said to be $250,000 a year. Once again he throws it up for politics—to become chairman of the India Commission.

Bob Hits Candy

Confectioners in England aren't happy. Barbers, however, are feeling prosperous, for the cost of shingling has resulted in a general falling off of the consumption of chocolates. "Women," says a Hull chocolate factory man, "now spend two shillings (fifty cents) a week on their hair which previously they spent on chocolates."

LONDON TOOK $740,000,000 IN NEW LOANS

During Year 1927 British Market Absorbed Largest Amount of Foreign Securities Since the War

EMPIRE BORROWINGS TOTAL HALF BILLION

Three Years' Lendings Total $1,600,000,000—Foreign Trade Balances Equal $715,000,000

ACCORDING to The London Economist, subscription of British capital during 1927 to new securities of foreign countries in the British Empire and elsewhere, amounting to £148,282,000, was the largest total of any year since the war. It compared with £101,607,000 in 1926, and £77,196,000 in 1925. Of the foreign securities subscribed last year, £100,605,000 were issued by countries in the British Empire, £20,756,000 by other European countries and £21,914,000 by Central and South American countries.

The Economist disputes the prevalent belief that these subscriptions represent export of British capital. It says: "Our true export of capital can only be ascertained from figures of our international payments, and the balance of current payments does not by any means correspond with new issues. Thus in 1925 we had a real balance of £54,000,000, but issued £77,000,000 of foreign loans. In 1926 our balance was £7,000,000 on the wrong side, but, nevertheless, we managed to float foreign issues amounting to £102,000,000. Last year we issued £148,000,000, whereas our balance was £96,000,000. Taking the three years in aggregate, we had a net balance of payments due to us of £143,000,000, but issued new foreign loans of £327,000,000, or more than twice as much."

The Economist's explanation of British loans abroad larger than the year's net credit balance of British trade on all foreign accounts is that a nation, like an individual, need not have invested exactly the amount of its foreign credit. It may have left it on deposit, or may have invested a much larger sum by borrowing or by selling old investments.

PHINEAS FOGG AWHEEL

London Motor Cyclist Completes 17,500-Mile Ride Around This Terrestrial Sphere

With a small vise screwed to his pillion seat to enable him to carry out any necessary repairs and a spade lashed to his side-car, Mr. S. T. Glanfield, of London, arrived at Southampton one afternoon recently in the Olympic from New York on the last lap of his 17,500 mile trip round the world by motorcycle. Mr. Glanfield started from London on July 2 last year and went eastward. He crossed India—Bombay via Agra to Calcutta—in the record time of six days, traveling during the monsoon season. He crossed America in fourteen days, taking the southern road, and experienced in places extreme cold, the thermometer being below zero. His average day's run was 225 miles.

CHURCH SCHOOL ASKS STATE AID

Roman Catholic Archbishop Brings Test Case to Scottish Court of Sessions

Scottish educators are stirred at the test case brought by the Roman Catholic Archbishop of St. Andrews, before Lord Murray in the Court of Session, Edinburgh, against the education authority of the County of Stirling, to compel them to take over the support of the Roman Catholic School at Bonnybridge.

The authority had refused the request of Roman Catholic parents residing at Bonnybridge to provide a separate school wholly staffed by its religious teachers. The Archbishop and others then opened such a school and requested the public authority to take over the same. The authority again refused, on the ground that the school was superfluous. The court is now asked to declare that the authority is bound to accept the school. A favorable decision would establish a precedent for the public support of denominational schools in Scotland.

INTEREST CO-OPTS

Leaders of League of Nations' Union Seek Support From 5,250,000 Members of Societies

Viscount Cecil and other leaders of the League of Nations Union, are now cultivating the co-operative movement in Great Britain, with more than 5,250,000 members, with a view to influencing the future policy of the Government on the question of disarmament. Conferences held or planned in various cities have as their object the focusing of opinion on the subjects of world peace and a reduction of the nation's military and naval expenditure among a great cross section of British citizenship. The first such gathering was a recent meeting at Manchester attended by delegates from Northwest England, and was addressed by Professor Philip J. Noel Baker, Cassel professor of international relations at the University of London and member of the League of Nations Union executive.

THE DOPE DUPES

A New Series of Real Detective Stories—The Washington Nights' Entertainment

By SEABURY QUINN

What was the secret of the mummy case? Rich old Mr. Hamlin, grieving for his daughter, had paid thousands of dollars to find out. His devotion to the memory of his lost child had made him credulous. But Major Sturdevant, keen detective, uninfluenced by any personal interest, ferreted out the secret of the mummy with his usual sagacity and cleverness.

"HELLO," Williams, The Record's Washington correspondent, called as Shreve, of The Blade, paused in the office doorway. "Who's been sending you flowers?"

Shreve looked down at the bunch of great, scarlet poppies in his hand. "Jimmie, the elevator boy, brought 'em to me," he answered. "I got him a pair of skulls for a ball game this Spring from a chap on The Star, and he's been sweet on me ever since. He had these flowers in water for me all day, and nearly threw a fit for fear I wouldn't show up 'fore he knocked off work. Seems his uncle lived out in Brookland and raises all sorts of truck like this."

"Pretty, aren't they?" he held the crinkled, glowing blooms up to the light. "Queer thing about poppies, they look more artificial than imitations. Don't they remind you of crepe paper?"

"No," he answered, "they don't. They remind me of Peter Hamlin. Poppies always remind me of him. So does a medium's ad in the paper, or the sight of an X-ray machine, or——"

Loomis' Story

WILLIAMS looked at Loomis with a grin. "Spill it," he commanded. "When you get in a trance like this I know you've got a story ready to bust outa your system. Two dollars and a half says it's got something to do with Major Sturdevant.

"You win," Loomis answered. "One of the Major's queerest adventures grew out of something as remote from Secret Service work as that bunch of poppies.

"I'd been out to Evensong at the Cathedral one Sunday evening last Fall and was hitting a pretty good clip down Wisconsin Avenue when I heard somebody hailing me from the curb. 'Hey, Loomis,' a voice called, 'Loomis, you big booby, d'ye hear me?'

"There's only one man in the world I let abuse me that way, and that's Major Sturdevant of the Secret Service. I jammed my brakes down, but before I'd come to a stop the Major had run from the curb and vaulted in beside me.

"'Out on a case?' I asked.

"'No; but it's an interesting example of human credulity. I'm going out to Peter Hamlin's. Not that I want to; but as an act of Christian charity.

"'Poor old Hamlin's gone dotty, Loomis. He lost his daughter, Isabelle, when the Titanic went down—he's a widower, and she was all he had—and he's been going from bad to worse ever since. First it was plain spiritism—getting communications from her via some deceased Indian chief, and that sort of rot. Then he got to paying all kinds of fancy prices for letters from her, relayed by one of those automatic writing fakers.'

The Wily Greeks

"'LAST Summer Hamlin went abroad and got in with a couple of Levantine Greeks in London. One of 'em had a line of talk that sounded like an advance announcement of the opening of Tut-ankh-amen's tomb. He persuaded Hamlin he'd been some sort of nabob in ancient Egypt during a former incarnation, and actually sold him a mummy.

"'A mummy?'

"'Yes, sir, and charged him five thousand dollars in cold cash for it.

"'Hamlin keeps the nauseous thing in the house, and moons around it as if it were alive. He's been after me to come out and have a look at it all Summer, and I can't put him off any longer.

"'By George!' he suddenly exclaimed. 'Loomis, you've got to go in with me.'

"Hamlin himself answered our ring at the door.

"'Good evening, Major,' our host greeted. 'It was kind of you to come so far to see me. Mr. Loomis'—as Sturdevant presented me—'I am honored.'

"'Be seated,' he invited. 'I'll ring for refreshments.' He gave a tug at an old-fashioned bell-pull.

"Hamlin coughed nervously and glanced almost apprehensively at his watch.

"'Major,' he began, 'I've imposed on your friendship by asking you out here tonight because, of all the people I know, I deem you most worthy to witness a most tremendous experiment.'

Enter Mirza

"HAMLIN hurried on, evidently not expecting or desiring an answer: 'Last Summer, Major, I had the extreme good fortune to meet Mirza, the Master, while I was stopping in London. This man, who is the seventh son of a seventh son, and the forty-ninth generation in lineal descent from Simon of Tyre, possesses the extraordinary power of being able to remember incidents of his former lives. Not only that; he has the power of reading other people's pasts. I assure you, Major, I sat with him in his atelier and saw my whole existence, from the time I was an insensate amoeba, crawling in the primordial slime, to the minute of my birth in this life, pass before me like the episodes of a motion picture!

"'He instructed me in the mysteries of the world of spirits,' Hamlin answered, his voice trembling with excitement. 'Back in the days when civilization was in the first flush of its youth beside the mighty Nile, I was a priest of Osiris in a temple by the desert. And she, my darling, my dear, dear little daughter, served at the shrine of Isis, the mother-goddess, across the river from my sanctuary. She was known as Tash-at, the golden eyed, for even in that day her dear eyes were soft and brown as they were the hour I bade her farewell at the sailing of the Titanic a few short years ago.

"'And Mirza, the Master, showed me a way to overcome my loss, Major. By his supernatural powers he was able to project his memory back through the ages, to find where they laid the body of my darling and to procure that body, the very flesh in which she walked the streets of hundred-gated Thebes when the world was young. He got it for me, Major, and I brought it home to my desolate house. Behold——'

"With a gesture which was half hysterical haste, half reverent awe, Mr. Hamlin seized a heavy silken curtain hanging across a corner of the room and drew it quickly aside. There, before a curtained window, flanked on each side by vases of fresh-cut flowers, stood an Egyptian mummy case!

The Grisly Thing

"AS I looked at the grisly thing I felt a strong sympathy for the colored servant who refused to enter the room.

"'It is 'she!' cried Hamlin, his voice rising almost to a scream. 'It is she, my own little daughter, in her very flesh.'

"'Look!' He lifted the lid of the case reverently and stood back, revealing a slender form closely wrapped in overlaying layers of age-discolored linen; 'there she stands, exactly as the priestly craftsmen wrapped her for her long, long rest three thousand years ago!'

"He turned to us again, his eyes shining with a fanatical light. 'I tell you, Major——' he began, then broke off with a cry of dismay.

"Jarred from its vertical position in its case by some movement of Hamlin's, the linen-swathed mummy tottered precariously on its closely bound feet a second, then fell forward.

"Hamlin sprang to seize it, but Sturdevant was quicker.

"Sturdevant resumed his chair, but his attention seemed to have wandered from our host. I could tell he was working with all the force of his keen mind at some unexpected problem suddenly presented.

"Hamlin, however, was too much absorbed in his own concerns to notice Sturdevant's abstraction.

"'Now,' he said, 'the great time has arrived, Major. The Master gave me minute instructions before we parted, and promised to write me when the hour was propitious. Two days ago his letter came; now we shall proceed to the demonstration. See.'

"He handed Sturdevant a sheet of thin, semi-glazed paper. Looking over the Major's shoulder, I read:

"'My well beloved pupil:

"'On Sunday, September 29, the planets governing the destinies of the immortal entity which dwelt in the body of her who was your daughter throughout all generations will be in trine. Then, oh my beloved disciple, shall you arrange the lamps, even as I have showed you, the hour being the second after the rising of the moon, and it shall be with you even as I have said.

"'Selah.

"'MIRZA.'

The Master's Work

"'HM,' Sturdevant muttered, 'what's it mean, Peter?'

"'It means——' Hamlin paused and let the breath out hissingly between his teeth—'it means that, by the help of certain formulae the Master showed me, I shall call the spirit of my daughter back to earth, here, tonight, in this room!'

"Hamlin set about the preparations for his 'demonstration' with feverish haste. From beneath the library table he produced a small, oblong casket of some dark polished wood heavily reinforced with metal bands. He opened the box and brought forth a silver vessel about the size of a water-tumbler, with a flat base, bulging sides and a pointed top. Again and again he reached into the casket until a row of seven of the little urns stood before us. Last of all he lifted out a cruse of baked pottery, the slender spout of which terminated in a knob fashioned in the shape of a woman's head crowned with a diadem of hawk's wings.

"Breaking the knob with a smart blow of his pocket knife, Hamlin tilted the cruse and began filling the seven small vessels with some thick, sweet-smelling liquid. This task completed, he snapped off the electric lamps, lighted a thin wax taper, and stood expectantly, the waxlight in one hand, his watch in the other.

"In the darkened hall beyond the library a great clock struck the half hour like a note of doom. From the yard outside, immediately under the window behind the mummy, came a short, sharp click, like that of a snapping twig, or a dry leaf suddenly trodden on. Sturdevant half rose from his chair, but in a second he sank back.

"The Hour Has Come"

"'THE hour!' Hamlin breathed, his voice so low we scarcely heard it. 'The hour has come!'

"Quickly he leaned forward, touching first one, then another of the little silver jars with the flame of his taper.

"The room's darkness yielded to an eerie, bluish glow. Wherever the fire came in contact with the vases, a tiny, thin flame, blue and steady as that of a Bunsen burner, rose.

"I leaned forward, rubbing my eyes, doubting my vision. The corner of the room in which the mummy stood, and which was now separated from us by the row of seven lamps, seemed wavering and rocking grotesquely, like a ship on a troubled ocean. Realization of the illusion came to me alinost instantly. By some sort of mechanism, the flames of the lamps were controlled, so that they alternately rose and fell, like jets of water from a fountain, no two of them ever burning at the same height, and no one remaining at the same intensity for more than a fraction of a second.

"I was congratulating myself on having solved this puzzle when a feeling of uneasiness, impossible to describe, began to steal over me. Somewhere a current of cold air was entering the room.

"'Isabelle, Tash-at, my daughter in all the ages yet to be, I call you, I call you!' Hamlin cried in a quavering voice. 'It is I, your father, calling, daughter. Come, I entreat you. Out of the void of eternity, come to me. In the name of Osiris, dread lord of the spirit world, I command you!'

"Tiny shivers, ten times more insistent than those produced by physical chill, rippled through my cheeks and forehead. Beyond the zone of the seven lamps, behind, beside, in front of the coffined mummy, a thin, grey mist was floating, whirling, taking human form!

The Bereft Father

"'ISABELLE!' Hamlin called again. 'Isabelle—ah, it is she—it is she!' He sank to the floor, his hands outstretched. 'Speak, speak, oh, my darling; my lost one who has returned, speak to me!' he begged.

"There came a gentle, sighing noise, as of a woman slowly taking breath, and a voice, low and vibrant, but unmistakably feminine, came to us, from the mummy case.

"'My father, you who have loved and nurtured me throughout all the generations, I come to you through this ancient flesh which once I wore in Egypt. Through the resistless magic of Mirza, mighty master of the world of spirits, I come to you. Once more I shall come, but once only. Then I must away to the world of shades again, for my destiny is not yet fulfilled. Once more I come to tell you all is well with me and thee, then I vanish forever from sight and hearing of mortal men. And with me I must take this poor relic of my former self.

"'Weep not for its loss, my father, nor yet for mine, for this flesh, this token of mortality, has been the instrument through which I was enabled to speak to you; but its mission is now done. 'Twould not be meet to leave it here in an alien land. It must dissolve and go with me into the everlasting land beyond the Western sky.

"'Farewell, my father, I go.'

"With the abruptness of short-circuited electric bulbs, the seven blue-burning lamps went out.

"I heard Sturdevant vault from his chair, heard the tinkle of silver as his racing feet spurned the lamps from his path, saw his shadow, a shade darker than the outside night, against the open window behind the mummy.

"'Loomis, Loomis,' he called. 'Strike a light. Find the switch. Damn you, hurry!'

"I stumbled through the dark, located the push-button and turned on the electric current.

"'Now, Peter Hamlin,' Sturdevant cried in a furious voice, 'are you satisfied? Are you through playing at your Devil's mummery, you doddering old idiot?'

"'If you have—

"'Here, quick, Loomis; give me a hand with him. The poor chap's fainted.'

Overcome

"HE lifted the man to the couch, and I loosened his cravat while Sturdevant poured him a drink.

"'Major, did you hear her—did you see her spirit hovering over her body?' Hamlin gasped when the stimulant forced between his lips revived him.

"'Yes, yes, Peter,' Sturdevant answered soothingly. I heard the message you received.

"'And now,' he added authoritatively, 'you've been through a trying ordeal, Peter. You'd best be turning in. Come; I'll help you.'

"Leaning heavily on Sturdevant's arm, babbling childishly of his lost daughter's return from the grave, Peter Hamlin mounted the stairs to his bed chamber.

"Sturdevant rejoined me in the library in a few moments, the puzzled look he had worn earlier in the evening more pronounced than ever on his keen old face.

"'Get the motor tuned up, Loomis,' he ordered.

"I left the house and started my engine, then craned my neck toward the front door, watching for the Major.

"'All right, suppose we sup at the Shoreham,' his voice sounded behind me.

"'Major, I exclaimed in astonishment, 'how did you get here? I've been watching the door for you ever since I came out. I could have sworn you never came through it.'

"'I came through the window.'

"'But why—'

Behind, beside, in front of the coffined mummy, a thin, grey mist was floating, whirling, taking human form.

"'Tut, tut, no questions now. I've got some tall thinking to do.'

"I headed the roadster south and drove to the Shoreham.

A Preoccupied Man

"HE ordered and ate his meal mechanically, often pausing with his fork half upraised and staring vacantly into space.

"'That's that,' he announced as he tossed what looked like a ball of cobweb on the table.

"'What is it?' I asked.

"He carefully unrolled the knot and spread the fabric out before me. It was thinner than any silk I'd ever seen, very closely woven, and light grey, almost white, in color. As Sturdevant pursed his lips and blew lightly across the table, the stuff floated an inch or so above the cloth, though the current of his breath was not directed at it.

"'What is it?' I repeated.

"'Ectoplasm,' he answered with a sardonic grin. 'Ectoplasm—such stuff as spooks are made of. It's as fine a piece of spiritualistic medium's property as I ever saw. The fakers use it to cover their assistants who pinch-hit for spooks at seances. You can crumple three square yards of this stuff in the hollow of your hand, and if you've practiced enough, you can pay it out, a little at a time, till it looks for all the world like a smoke cloud in a darkened room. That's the trick.

"'The assistant wears dark clothing to harmonize with the room's walls, begins letting this silk stuff out of his hand a little at a time while the medium is carrying on a line of talk to divert attention, then, when the silk sheet is floating in the air like a cloud-veil, the assistant ducks under it, lets it settle over him, and presto! he stands revealed as a real, honest-to-goodness ghost materialized out of thin air—and ectoplasm—by the medium. You saw a neat little demonstration of the trick up at Hamlin's tonight.'

The Wonderful Cloth

"'BUT where did you get this ecto—this cloth, Major?'

"'Found it caught on a thorn of one of Hamlin's rose bushes under the window of his library. Here's something else I found.' He produced a slip of folded paper from his waistcoat pocket and opened it. It contained a few threads of dark worsted.

"'That was on another thorn,' he explained 'Also, in the soft earth of the rose bed I found a neat little footprint of a rubber-soled shoe. Do you begin to get the idea?'

"'You mean—'

"'Certainly. It was a very artistic piece of spirit-materialization Mirza's first lieutenant pulled off tonight. Her boss had poor, simple old Peter all steamed up over this coming back of his daughter, set the hour exactly in his letter, then when she saw the flicker of those trick lamps Hamlin had bought—I found out he paid an extra thousand for them, by the way—she sneaked in through the window, spread out her spook-veil and stood there as the reincarnation of Tash-at or Isabelle Hamlin, and handed poor old Peter the message prepared for him.'

"'Well,' I commented, 'this Mirza chap certainly did more for his dupe than the general run of charlatans would. Most of 'em would have quit him cold after they'd mulcted him for the price of the mummy and the lamps. Don't you think so?'

"'No, sir,' he struck the table emphatically with his fist, 'I don't. There's a joker in the contract somewhere. People of this Mirza's sort aren't going out of their way to stage private theatricals unless there's a fat profit in it for them. If they'd quit Hamlin after selling him the mummy, as you suggested, I'd think the case a closed incident. But they didn't.'

Outstanding Feature

"HE pointed a long forefinger at me. 'What's the outstanding feature of the seance as you recall it?' he asked.

"'Why—er' I floundered, 'first the lamps began to flicker—'

"'Discount all that; that's part of the mechanics. Get down to the important thing.'

"'Well, the room seemed to get colder; I felt a current of chilly air on my ankles—'

"'Yes, of course you did; that was when she opened the window and crawled into the room behind the screen of those changing flames. Get to the meat of it, man; get to the meat of it.'

"'The voice seemed to issue from the mummy in the coffin—'

"'Oh, Loomis, you're hopeless!' he declared. 'Don't you remember she said she would appear once more, then vanish to the world of shades—and the mummy would vanish, too?

"'Now why, and double why, should she warn him the mummy would disappear? Eh? Mummies of that sort are as common in Egypt as prohibition violators are here. You can buy 'em by the great gross for twenty-five dollars apiece or what have you.

"'That's where the pivot of the mystery is. Who wants that mummy, and why?

"'Another thing; that's no ordinary mummy, Loomis.'

"'How can you tell?' I asked. 'It looked like any other mummy to me.'

"'So it did to me; but, remember, I had an opportunity to handle it when it fell from its case. How tall would you say it was?'

"'About five feet, I reckin.'

"'Right. That's the height I estimated. Do you know anything about Egyptian embalming?'

"'Good Lord, no!'

"'Well, as we understand the term, the Egyptians didn't embalm at all. They pickled the body in oil of cedar and palm wine, then dried it until only the desiccated tissues and bones remained. Even the brain and viscera were removed.

Bodily Weights

"'GOT that? Very well. Now then, about eighty per cent of our bodies is water, and, consequently, allowing for the bones, about sixty-five or seventy per cent of our body weight disappears if the water be taken from our systems.

"The average weight of normal, healthy human beings is two pounds to the inch of height in women, a trifle less in men. Thus, a woman five feet tall should weigh in the neighborhood of a hundred and twenty pounds. Remove all the water from her body, however, and you'd have a net weight of about sixteen pounds, not over twenty-five at most, even if she were excessively heavy and big-boned. Right?'

"'Ye-es, I guess so.'

"'Well, when I grabbed that devilish mummy to put it back in its case, the weight of it almost knocked me over. If a living woman had been wrapped in those mummy bands, she couldn't have been any heavier.'

"'Whew!' I exclaimed.

"'What's the answer?' he asked.

"'Hanged if I know, Major.'

"'Hanged if I do, either; but we're going to find out. How do you feel?'

"'Great. Never had a better dinner in my life.'

"'Good enough. We've got a little plain and fancy piece of burglary to commit.'

"'Burglary? Where?'

"'Out at Peter Hamlin's. Come along.'

"Hamlin's house stood in complete darkness when I parked the car at the entrance to the driveway about half an hour later.

"Creeping stealthily across the lawn, Sturdevant and I brought up beneath the library window.

"'Is it locked?' I asked as he prepared to mount to the sill.

"'Nope,' he replied, clutching the stone window ledge and swinging one foot up. 'I wedged the clasp before I left. Thought maybe I'd want to be coming out this way again soon.'

A Guilty Conscience

"I WAITED by the rose bed, my guilty conscience transforming every shadow on the shrub-planted lawn into an officer of the law. 'P-s-s-, Loomis!' Sturdevant's whisper came through the dark.

"'Grab the thing when I pass it out, and for the love of mud don't drop it. Look sharp, it's heavy.'

"A moment later the mummy's bandaged head protruded from the open window.

"I stifled a shudder of repulsion as I put up my hands to receive the gruesome thing; but next instant I was too thoroughly occupied to pay attention to my outraged sensibilities. Sturdevant had not exaggerated the thing's weight. It was heavy and solid as a living body, and the task of lowering it from a height of six feet without striking it against the house, the rose bushes or the ground gave me all I could attend to.

"'Now,' Sturdevant lowered the window to within an inch of the sill and dropped to the grass beside me, 'let's get the thing away from here, toot sweet.'

"We bore the mummy to my car, and I took the wheel, Sturdevant squatting beside me on the floor, supporting the defunct Egyptian in his arms. Just before I threw in my gears I saw him press his nose close against the hideous thing's bandaged breast and inhale deeply.

"'That's it, sure as shooting,' he exclaimed. 'Bet a dollar and a half I'm right; but we'll have a look, just to make sure.'

"'Eh?' I asked. 'What say?'

"'Oh, nothing. Just talking to myself,' he evaded. 'Give her the gas, son; let's see if you can make the Soldiers' Home Hospital before taps.'

Lights Out

"WE entered the Park Road gate of the Home just as the bugler before the parade ground sounded the first bar of 'lights out.'

"Sturdevant rushed up the stairs, spoke hurriedly to an orderly, showing his credentials, and came racing back to me, clearing the steps two at a time. 'O.K.', he announced.

"We lugged the mummy up the entrance stairs, dropped it on a wheeled stretcher and trundled it down several winding corridors, finally entering a room filled with gleaming electrical apparatus.

"'All right, Charley,' Sturdevant addressed a young man in hospital white, 'shake hands with my friend, Mr. Loomis, then turn the juice on.'

"He and Charley stood the mummy upright before a glass-and-metal cabinet, and Sturdevant stationed himself before it, lifting a wedge-shaped box to his face. B-z-z-t! a querulous, buzzing noise, shot through the room, and the air was stained a sudden jaundiced green as a stream of crackling electricity leaped between two upright brass posts on the cabinet.

"'Good, fine; great!' he exclaimed. 'Take a squint at it, Loomis.'

"I placed the face-shield to my eyes and bent forward till its ground glass front was within four inches of the mummy. Again the electric current snapped and buzzed, and I nearly dropped the piece of appartus in my astonishment. Viewed against the yellow-face-piece, the mummy's wrappings melted away to the transparency of isinglass, showing the yellow green glare of the electric flash through the outline of a darker substance beneath. No trace of human form, living or mummified, was bound in the linen wrappings. Instead, clearly discernible in the substance-piercing electric ray, there showed a series of little bags, evidently stuffed with something of a yielding nature, since they gave, one into another, where they had been crushed together.

"'See 'em?' Sturdevant asked excitedly.

"'Bags of some sort,' I replied, blinking with amazement.

"'Right,' he answered. 'My nose told me something when I smelled this mummy out by Hamlin's 'fore we started, and the fluoroscope adds its bit to the evidence. Now let's make sure.'

"He heaved the mummy to an observation table, turned it face downward, and, unsheathing his bowie knife, plunged it through the linen wrappings.

"A second later he inserted his hand, rummaged about under the bandages a little and drew forth a small, tight-packed canvas bag about the size of a package of Chinese tea.

Bags of Opium

"ONE stroke of the knife sheared through the sack, bisecting it as an apple is split for paring. 'Look!' he commanded.

"The half bags, lying with their inner surfaces exposed, proved full of some sticky, reddish-brown paste, more like dark molasses

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SELF-MADE MARRIAGES

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Is the Recklessness of Romantic Mating Part of Nature's Plan?—The Success of Failing to Observe Practical Considerations—Sink-or-Swim Unions—Struggle as a Necessity of Love

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SHE likes him for the way his ears are set on his head, he adores her for the way her eyes go when she laughs. Something irrelevant like that. At least, these trivialities are what they think they see in one another; for love, being inexpressible, ties itself to symbols.

The unsympathetic outsider is apt to think of them as two daft children, rushing forward toward mutual destruction. They have no incomes, no experience with life; their characters are unformed and they're breeding a peck of trouble all around. Therefore, they should be locked up or sent on polar expeditions, one to the north, the other to the south.

Marriage is something of an obstacle race. It begins with obstacles, it encounters them all along life's run. And I often wonder what we elders do, in throwing out more obstacles to early marriage, save to stimulate the very unions we would prevent.

Red Bathing Suit Romance

TOO often parents set up false standards for their children. John, who likes to play the fiddle, must be a lawyer. Mary, who sighs for romance, must marry in the insurance business.

I know of a very rich man who made an ideal match for his daughter, and even got her consent to it. Henry, already making rapid progress in a shipbuilding concern, was the sort of man any woman should be proud of. Mr. Wealthy, a self-made man, had a very worthy desire to see his daughter become the wife of a man capable of taking care of her, with no thought of her personal fortune.

Unfortunately, it seemed at the time, Helen went to Florida and met a young man in a red bathing suit. The bathing suit was practically all he owned in the world. His name was Pete and he had been out of Yale a little over a year; he had gone down to Florida as tutor and had no prospects save an indefinite offer to join a zoological expedition, starting for Northern India. Pete was not what the world calls practical.

Zip! Goes a Fortune

FROM what he has told me and what I have heard of him, I very much doubt if he realized the extent of Helen's fortune on the day he fell in love with her. But it was head-over-heels, as the saying goes. Helen wrote to Henry, asking him to release her. He was decent about it, but when the news reached her father's office there was sulphur and there was brimstone. Obediently she answered his hot wire and came home to explain. Father wanted to know who this Pete was, and she was obliged to confess that he was a wanderer with a future as vague as the mountains he sought to climb.

Mr. Wealthy resorted to bribes. He would take a vacation and they'd travel. In the Spring they'd go to London and she could be presented at court. He threatened to lock her up, to cut her off without a cent. Finally, because he was shrewd enough to see that no force could frighten her from her purpose, he called in his lawyer and drew up a document. With this folded in his handbag, he took a quiet trip to Florida and looked up Pete.

"Young man," he said, "I hear you want to marry my daughter. There's no way of knowing whether you're in love with her or with her money. Because she's an heiress, she's been pestered to death by poor young men with an eye on a fortune. You say you're in love with her." Pete made no bones about it. "Well, then, I'm going to ask you to make a sacrifice for her." He produced the document. "I've had this paper carefully drawn up, and if you read it you'll see it's an agreement between you and me. It states that in case of your marriage to my daughter both you and she relinquish every possible claim on my estate."

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A Mother—In India

IT required three to make a bargain like that, but Helen's signature came as easily as Pete's. "It will give me a chance to work for him," was the way she took it.

Her own personal property, which was relatively small, she sold to help finance Pete in work that required ready money. After they were married she followed him to India. She couldn't go with him on his expeditions, which required work beyond a woman's strength; but in Calutta she found work as a newspaper correspondent. She went to the cool foothills to have her baby. She's still there, making a fair living at the keys of her busy little typewriter. The baby is flourishing, and Pete is going on with the work that will some day reward him.

Recently a friend showed me one of her letters. Certainly it was the expression of a happy woman who has found her place in the world. Her father, I understand, has already torn up the contract and is preparing to visit her at Darjeeling; and what prosperity he has to offer will, I feel sure, do nothing to spoil the love that she chose, as Nature chooses, by instinct.

In a Modern Castle

WE hear a great deal about the success of self-made men. But how much has been said for self-made marriages?

In days of old when knights were, perhaps, a trifle too bold, when barons had donjon keeps and cast-iron locks for lovelorn daughters, perhaps they were able to arrange weddings to the satisfaction of everybody except the two principals.

But I want to tell you about a castle on Long Island, not many Winters past, when the donjon wouldn't keep and a modern elopement, by telephone instead of saddled palfrey, induced a little earthquake shock into settled modern society.

The hostess played ridiculously bad bridge that night, and when someone mentioned her playing the right ace at the wrong time her eyes merely wandered toward her husband, who, refraining from his usual stock exchange gossip, walked the rug in his baronial hall. Then a very perfect butler made so bold as to announce that madam was wanted on the telephone.

Married to Nobody

THAT was all, as far as I saw. But the next morning's papers announced that little Muriel had been most informal about her wedding. A Jersey justice in his quaint bungalow had done the job, and the husband's name was Elmer Nobody. Personal friends of the family spoke of the case as one would of murder, with bated breath. It was almost impossible to tell who Elmer was, save that he had no criminal record.

While Muriel's family busied themselves altering wills, I had the good luck to come upon Muriel in the shopping district of Cincinnati. She was carrying bundles and waiting for a street car. She was well dressed; it's hard to imagine Muriel looking otherwise.

She had the contented, rather abstracted look of a woman who has found herself. She was not surprised to see me, but rather glad, I thought; somehow I was the embarrased one when she asked me to dinner. I found them living in a two-by-four apartment that Muriel's taste had managed to make as pretty as herself.

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Lamb Chops in Eden

BECAUSE I was early and Elmer late, she had time to tell me a little. Tears came to her eyes when she mentioned her mother, but I believed her when she said that her only regret was the pain she had caused her family. Elmer was a man who had "cut in" at a debutante dance. She knew nothing about him at the time, only that she wanted him for a husband.

Later she found that he was a penniless Columbia student, about to graduate in mechanical engineering. Her family had opposed him so stubbornly that she saw no way out but an elopement. He had two or three chances, and these they carefully considered on the day before their hasty marriage. She had decided for him. It should be Cincinnati, where he had an offer, at a small salary, with a company that manufactured garden implements.

Elmer came in after a while, a picture of vigorous enthusiasm. He was doing well with his work, he was hungry. The young people exchanged looks as simple as Adam's and Eve's. Already they were turning their Garden of Eden into a substantial success. Muriel put on her apron and served lamb chops, seething hot, with crisp potatoes.

"The only trouble," whispered Elmer while she was in the kitchen, "is her family. We don't need them—financially, I mean. But it's rather tough on her, having her mother feel that way. Muriel can't get any answers to her letters."

After dinner we all rolled up our sleeves and washed dishes. Then we sat down for a smoke, and I broached my idea. "I'm dining in Long Island when I get back," I said, "and maybe you know the place. It's your mother's."

Muriel's lip trembled ever so slightly, for she knew what I meant. "I want her to understand," she said, "and I don't want her to feel that way about me. I'd love to see her and tell her—not to be bitter about it. But we don't need her money. We're working it out so well, Elmer and I. We're partners and that's more fun than I ever knew there was in the world. If you could only make mother feel it."

A few days later I saw her mother and delivered the message. Possibly I made her feel it. Sometimes I hope not. You cannot make a rose more beautiful by sprinkling gold dust at its roots. But yesterday someone told me that she had been boasting of her son-in-law, which indicates that she has gone to Cincinnati, and proved to herself that truth will prevail—for the very good reason that it is stranger than fiction.

The Need for Strife

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It is founded on the desire for struggle, the something to work for day by day and the sweets of honestly earned success. Something in the future to strive for and hope for, something possessed in partnership. Frequently we read of a man who, succeeding beyond his dream, abandons the wife of his youth for another love. It is useless to lay the blame on either member of the team. Merely the joy of mutual struggle is over.

Only in marriage where the flame of genuine affection exists do we find the lasting quality that our law of monogamy demands. Without battle, true comradeship cannot exist. In marriage, as in education, the way to knowledge should not be made too easy. Marriage is a Pilgrim's Progress. Obstacles become a blessing. Sex-companionship does not come with a silver spoon in its mouth; or, if it does, it as.apt to die early, bored to death by its own luxury.

The $15 Bridegroom

DEFYING the danger of generalities, I still observe that the best marriages are contracted on the basis of sink-or-swim. It's bound to be rough, this business of choosing a lifelong mate and bringing good citizens into the world.

Only love can sweeten it, make it more worthy the effort. And that is why we all go a little mad at mating time.

Here's a boy who had taken an arts course at a Middle Western college. He was a student, ill-directed, as students so often are. He mowed lawns for the faculty and his widowed mother pinched to buy him books. He got through college somehow, and went to Indianapolis with the vague hope of getting something to do. He qualified as an elevator man on the "relief" job, which earned him $5 a week. In the evenings he clerked in a second-hand bookstore and met a pretty customer, who took his mind off his books and his elevator and his badly outlined career.

She had $300 of her own, which, after much ingenious argument, she persuaded him to use as capital for their marriage. That and his assured $10 a week convinced them to challenge Fate and see a minister. A week after their marriage she found a help-wanted item that took him to Cincinnati in search of a small salesmanship. His capital was $15.

Pop-Corn and Water

IN a strange town he had to wait several days. A lodging house announcing that all baths were free, tempted him; a tramp taught him to cheat hunger by eating pop-corn and drinking water—in that way he could make ten tents swell to the size of a full meal. But actual starvation set in as his $15 vanished.

Famishing, he again called upon his prospective employer, who bossed a house to house canvass for encyclopaedias; he was known as a "crew manager." The young man was given a fighting chance, told that three trained salesmen had fallen down in an attempt to prove to the suburbs that the encyclopaedia was as good as it undoubtedly was. An order from a certain private school was desirable, for it had prestige in Cincinnati; it seemed an impossible place for a stranger to invade with oratory on a diet of pop-corn and water!

The sales manager had a bright tantalizing smile. "Just go out and try them," he suggested, handing our hero a complicated prospectus. It was like a challenge.

Sales—And a Wife

THIS, fortunately, was before the days of pay-as-you-enter cars. The hungry young man, having nothing more valuable than a hole in his pocket, mounted the platform and told the conductor quite candidly, "I'm broke. But if I can get to the Blank School in twenty minutes I think I can land a job." Fortunately he caught a human being, for the conductor said: "I'll take a chance on the inspector finding this out. Come along."

The young man, speaking from a full heart and an empty stomach, sold the encyclodaedia on a typhoon of eloquence. Stunned by his success, he accepted the order without a cash payment, which forced him to walk all the way back, except for a mile or two when he ran. He caught the sales manager just as he was leaving his comfortable office, and when the man paid him a cash commission on his sale it was all the boy could do to keep from bursting into tears.

That was several years ago. The boy, growing older, took over the encyclopaedia business, but never found the word fail in any of the books he sold. His success was slow at first, but his wife was always behind him, just as she was with the first $300 she ever called her own.

Where Love Once Was

MENTALLY I compare this case, and others I have touched upon, with the dilemma of a certain young man who says he can't marry his girl—and they've been engaged for six years—until he can sign a check for a quarter of a million. With this ambition he may miss the two prizes, love and money. Will it matter much if he does?

Unfortunate marriages we have in superabundance, and for superabundant causes; mutual character-faults develop, mingle into rank poison; one or the other of the parties to the agreement may prove too feeble, too selfish, too blind to be held by a lasting alliance; bright wits may turn dull, sweet bodies gray. But where the true light has once burned, the celestial inspiration of a lover's choice, does not that spiritual kinship remain to make marriage more what it really should be, a union?

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The Dope Dupes

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taffy than anything else I could compare it to.

"'Smell it,' he invited.

"I held one of the pieces to my nose. The young man addressed as Charley followed my example, and stood staring at Sturdevant, as excited as the Major himself.

"'What is it, Major?' I asked.

"'Hop,' replied the other laconically.

"'Hop?' I echoed. 'Do you mean opium?'

"'Opium it is,' Sturdevant confirmed, and there's enough of the stuff there to keep a hundred pipes smoking from now till the time Congress quits blatherskiting and gets down to business.'

"'Great heavens!' I exclaimed. 'No wonder they wanted to get the mummy away from Mr. Hamlin.'

"'Right you are, my boy,' Sturdevant agreed. 'Can you beat their little scheme for cleverness? First they sell Hamlin the fake mummy for five thousand dollars. Then they let him bring it into the country. There's no duty on Egyptian mummies, and Hamlin's respectability forestalls any search for hidden smuggled valuables or other contraband.

"'Then, after Hamlin's brought the stuff safely into the country for them, they stage the little comedy we witnessed tonight, get poor old Peter resigned to having his five-thousand-dollar mummy disappear into the land of spirits, and tomorrow night, when the second seance is scheduled, they calmly walk off with the dope, having let Hamlin pay them five thousand dollars for the privilege of smuggling in prohibited drugs. Didn't I tell you there was some catch in their little play-acting, Loomis?

"'Now, we'll just rush this package of dream-stuff back to Hamlin's, and tomorrow night, when our friends start to play the last act of their cute little comedy, I'll stage an epilogue they didn't know was in the script. There'll be a strong-arm squad waiting to harness 'em up in the neatest little set of handcuffs they ever wore.

"'I'll have to wait and nab 'em after they've actually taken the stuff out of Hamlin's house, though, and prefer a charge of unlawful possession of prohibited drugs against 'em. Too bad we can't get 'em on a conspiracy charge, too—we've plenty of evidence to convict 'em—but I wouldn't for the world let poor old Peter Hamlin find out his precious mummy was nothing but camouflaged poppy juice.'"

Business Invades Mayfair

Historic and exclusive Mayfair of London is changing to a business district, and in a few years will be altered almost beyond recognition. Park Lane is destined to become nearly as much a business thoroughfare as Piccadilly, and already several old houses near Dorchester House in South Street are making way for modern buildings. South Street, built 190 years ago, and South Park Lane, has been the home of many famous people, among them being Beau Brummel, Lord Melbourne, Charles James Fox, Mlle. d'Este, the Duke of Sussex's daughter, Phillips Egalite (the Duc d'Orleans), and Florence Nightingale.

Pre-War Fashion Parties Now

Pre-war fashion parties are becoming popular among society people of England. The idea is to unearth all the extreme costumes that were in style prior to 1914, and wear them to the events. At one held at Goodwood recently, one girl wore a skirt which boasted fourteen "gores," another came in her mother's wedding dress with twelve flounces and a nineteen-inch waist, while a male guest sported a "deerstalker," a three-inch stiff collar and a Norfolk jacket. The seventeen-year-old daughter of a hostess at a modern party could not believe that women really wore hats with a circumference of ten feet until her mother unearthed a be-feathered "cartwheel," which caused such shrieks of amusement that a pre-war fashions party was held, and started the idea.

Canada is the principal source of soft-wood supplies in the British Empire. Only by curtailing losses and increasing productivity can she hope to discharge faithfully her responsibilities in this direction; she must conserve her forest wealth and bring about a more healthy relationship between depletion and annual gro-

"That Gay Young Set"

By LUCILLE VAN SLYKE
Illustrated by Armstrong Sperry

Babs Bliss' direst day was when her artless waitress sold two Saturday night dance tickets to Clairmont's latest acquisition, the effusive newly rich wife of the successful baker, until "popper" put it all over the gathering.

Storial No. 21—Patty Cake, Patty Cake

ONE of the trials in the life of Babs Bliss was the new-rich woman who had sublet the Dorrance house for the Summer. She was a buxom blonde, with a fearful and wonderful collection of ornate clothes, a gaudily painted car, a pampered Pekingese, and two terrible children. One of them was an eleven-year-old boy who was terrorizing the entire neighborhood, and the other was a strikingly uninteresting two-year-old girl.

Mrs. Shrenkheiser apparently had no friends and very few acquaintances, and, in spite of the wages that she offered, it seemed impossible for her to keep domestic help any length of time.

Hence, she fairly haunted Babs' tea-room for her own meals and her children's meals, and on each and every appearance she insisted upon regaling the waitress—or Babs herself, if she could corner her—with endless tales of her domestic difficulties.

"The help they send you off agencies is turrible," she would wail. "If they know anything, they ain't honest. If they is honest, they don't seem to know much. I says to Shrenkheiser, when he was out last week, that I was nearly crazy with it all.

"'Poppa,' I says to him, 'I don't know but what we was better off before we was merged. Before we was merged and didn't have so much'."

"Merged?" Babs was mildly curious. "You mean married?"

Hearty laughter greeted this query.

Merged Shops

"WE been married sixteen years this April. I was married the day after I was sixteen. But Shrenkheiser merged our shops and a couple other fellers' three years ago. Maybe you read about it?" She waxed complacent. "'From Pan Greaser to President.' Didn't you see that? Only it's just vice-president. You musta seen come of our shops. The Patty Cake Shops?"

"Those cunning things?" Babs gasped. Crisp white dotted Swiss curtains, pots of pink geraniums, wicker trays, stacked with iced cup-cakes, flashed to her mind's eye.

The woman continued:

"First he had one in a wagon. He put glass sides in it and some shelves and fancy papers, like your own pantry, and curtains, like it was your kitchen window, and three times a day he drove out with the stuff to your door, so you didn't have to slip off your apron and run to the bakery, or send out the kids to get run over, maybe, every time you needed a loaf of bread or a pie for lunch. And he put on white cotton gloves and a white coat. Soon he had to get another wagon and he got Loule, the driver, to dress the same, so he looked just like himself. And maybe I wasn't humping myself in them days. My, yes! I got no time to worry them days."

"You helped?" Babs asked politely.

"Helped?" Mrs. Shrenkheiser's voice rose shrilly. "Wasn't it my shop? Didn't I inherit it off my own poppa? And I was young and strong then, and only had the little boy. I could tie him by the back stoop and tend the store, and I wasn't away from them ovens more than fifteen minutes a day. When one panful came out, another went in!

Poppa Greased Pans

"AND nights we slept in the dough room, so we don't have to pay no boy and poppa greased all the pans himself, and now—well, believe it or not, a pan-greaser alone gets more a week than poppa and I used to take in a week before Shrenkheiser and me was married. I mean my own poppa." She wiped away a tear "My own poppa was an elegant baker, but he hadn't no mind to put to selling stuff. Well, that's how it was. Shrenkheiser, in four years, was selling more than poppa and I could bake. Then poppa died, and I couldn't handle it all, so we had to get help. From that day to this," her voice trembled, "it seems like I got nothing but trouble, hiring and firing. I used to think, if I got out of the shop in a flat of my own, I'd be happy. But I ain't. The minute we merged, poppa says to me: 'Now you got your wish. You can get you a flat and take it easy and never go near the shop. Be a lady.' So we got the flat and we got rich. We goes around all the time, starting up new shops and jacking up the old shops. I says to him only last Sunday: 'Poppa, all you think of is business, business, and more business! Home ain't nothing to you any more.' He says to me, when we rented this swell house for the Summer, that he is coming out every Friday and stay until Saturday. But does he? Have you seen him? Just once he was here. Long distance he calls me, where I can't sass him, it costs so much for three minutes even, and what can you say in three minutes about things like that?"

"'Not this week,' he says to me. 'I can't make it. I gotta go to Shreveport on business'."

"'Business?' says I. 'All you think is business and more business. More business, and we got more than you can handle. What does it bring you? Nothing but more trouble and more money. More trouble we don't need, and more money we can't spend! What can more money buy you, poppa, than what you got now? You can only wear one suit of clothes at a time! You can only sleep in one bed at once! You can only eat one meal at a time without choking yourself——'!"

A Droll Thought

BABS herself nearly choked on the droll thought that Mrs. Shrenkheiser did eat more than one meal at a time. She certainly ate enough for two meals. And her children had the habits and manners of young boa constructors. Usually they departed with a box of cakes—"in case somebody got hungry in the afternoon."

Babs never drew a free breath while they were in her tea-room. They lent no air of elegance to the scene, and the wear and tear on dishes, linen, and furniture was terrible.

The twelve-year-old kicked rungs out of chairs, and tipped over floral decorations.

"Meet poppa," his wife shrilled. "I've been telling him all about what a great little kid you are."

The baby had a pentrating squeal, and the dog, even when tied outside in the car, had a maddening yip.

Babs tried diplomacy. She couldn't actually refuse to serve them, but she instructed those who did serve them to give as little service as possible. She hoped that long waits, small portions, and a few wrong orders would discourage the buxom customer.

But the lady only raised her voice in lamentation and grumbling and, when Babs suggested that she might find better service elsewhere, retorted:

"Where, I ask you, in this burg? Or anywheres else? Service you don't get nowheres, not at home or in boarding-places. I was better off when I was sleeping in the bakery, helping myself to a bite when I felt like it!"

In the Pony-Paddock

IT was a dire day for Babs when her customer discovered that Babs herself had two small children. Babs' children, attended by a half-portion nurse-girl, usually played in an old pony-paddock a few hundred yards back of the tea-room. Barby would croon happily in a wee sandpile, while her brother conducted various thrilling enterprises. Mrs. Shrenkheiser was perfectly charmed when she saw them. Without asking Babs' permission, she dumped her own two-year-old beside Barby. Then she sauntered into the tea-room and ordered a double portion of chicken a la king, potatoes au gratin, asparagus on toast, hot biscuits, a pot of coffee with cream, and told the girl she would decide on desert later.

But, before the order was delivered, loud walls rent the air. The Shrenkheiser child had a somewhat acquisitive nature, and young Gene had attempted to defend his little sister's toys. He emerged from the fray with a battered eye, and Barby bore several long scratches on her cheeks. The glowing Shrenkheiser child, uninjured but screaming, had her fat arms clasped tightly about the plunder.

"Ain't kids comical the way they fight?" Mrs. Shrenkheiser boasted. "Look at Geraldine! With all she could lay her two hands on! Ain't she comical? And look at your two! Ain't they comical?"

"They are not comical!" Babs panted sternly, as she wiped away the gore. "They are very naughty children!"

But for days thereafter, whenever Barby or Gene did anything that was forbidden, the lovely new words would spring out: "'Ain't I comkul'?"

Babs' Direst Day

BUT the direst day of all befell when a new waitress chatted to Mrs. Shrenkheiser about the Saturday night dances and stupidly sold her two tickets for the next one. Babs felt an actual chill creeping down her spine when the artless girl brought her the money. Then she laughed till the tears came at the very thought of Mrs. Shrenkheiser in evening dress.

"Pink and beaded probably," she though.

Wildly she considered putting up a smallpox sign, or going boldly to the woman and handing her back the money. Ada Winslow and Nina Herndon had dropped in for tea, and she told them the worst.

"My dears, I'm simply up against it. What shall I do?"

Ada, who was a pluperfect coquette, shrugged her shoulders.

"It's perfectly simple, Babs. We'll all help. I'll tip the whole crowd to it—we girls will flirt with the creature's husband and get her so insanely jealous that she never comes back!"

"Why, Ada, you couldn't! He's probably worse than she is!"

"I never saw a man yet that I—er—couldn't——" Ada's eyes were sparkling. "I think it will be a scream! I can hardly wait!"

Babs felt decidedly uncomfortable.

"I think it's a lovely joke, Ada, of course," she faltered, "but—I—you—why, you couldn't. Please don't try anything like that. I guess, if we just snub them—tactfully——"

Nina and Ada went into a spasm of giggles. By the time the young crowd gathered for the evening, the proposed joke was the event of the day. Every table seethed and bubbled with it.

Pink and Iridescence

WHAT the buxom Mrs. Shrenkheiser actually wore exceeded Babs' wildest expectations. It was not only pink and beaded. It was also glittering with sequins and its iridescence shaded from palest pink to deepest rose. She came late, accompanied by her husband, and explained that poppa hadn't arrived from New York until just a short time ago. She paused at Babs' desk to present her liege lord to his hostess.

"All she lacks is an elephant to ride on," thought Babs, demure in gray georgette, as she lifted blue eyes, shining with mischief to acknowledge the introduction.

Then she met with a surprise.

Poppa Shrenkheiser was not at all funny to look at. He was pink-cheeked, alert, irreproachably dressed. His shrewd dark eyes seemed to size up everybody expertly.

"Meet Poppa," his wife shrilled. "I been telling him all about what a great little kid you are."

He was as silent as his spouse was talkative. Heels tight together, he bowed low before Babs Bliss and then he smiled. His smile was irresistible. All his exuberant vitality flashed out in that smile.

In less than half an hour, he had the whole roomful gasping. With a thoroughness that was systematic, he would dash up to a table, gasp a man's hand, murmur politely:

"Your name, please? Mine is Shrenkheiser. Come and meet momma and dance with her. I will dance with your lady."

And he could dance! And, surprisingly enough, so could his fat wife.

Poppa did not talk while dancing. But momma explained loudly that he always had been crazy about it, and that, before thep were married, they had won at Coney Island a prize in a dancing-marathon.

Swept Off Their Feet

BETWEEN them they kept the gay young set of Clairmont breathless. The men thought it quite the funniest thing that had ever happened, and the women were swept off their feet.

For once, the fair Ada had met a man who would not succumb to her wiles. He would not even dance with her. He danced only with married women whose husbands danced with his wife.

"Don't I come next?" Ada paused at his table boldly and winked at her exuberant friends. She got a nasty jolt.

"Miss," he said quietly, but so distinctly that all the dancers could hear him, "I speak plain. This afternoon, when I went to get my baby out of the sand-pile, I heard you say you are going to vamp me and make my Gussie jealous! Nobody can do that with Herman Shrenkheiser!"

He put his hand on his Gussie's fat pink shoulder.

"Girls like my Gussie, or this girl that runs this place, they got no worry about what any girl can do with their men. Before we merged, Gussie worked hard, just like this Missis Bliss works. One time I got typhold, and she did it all—just like this Missis Bliss does it—and her man is sick. You think a man don't remember things like that all his life and, when he gets well, that he don't hustle himself to make it up to her that she had to work so hard for him?"

He reached out his hand and caught Babs' in his.

"Now I take Gussie home. By the midnight train I am going to Indiana. There we start a new chain of stores next month. Pleased to meet you." His heels clicked neatly, he bowed low. "Any time you got any trouble you could send for me." He didn't so much as glance again at the puzzled Ada. But his most exuberant smile flashed back at them all when Harry Herndon cried:

"Attaboy, Patty Cake!"

Big Bertha Failed to Terrorize Paris Ten Years Ago by Shells Shot 76 Miles

By RICHARD DUNLOP, in N.Y. Herald Tribune

PARISIANS boarded the tram or the subway to go to work on the morning of Saturday, March 23, 1918, somewhat uneasy in mind because of the succession of explosions that were sounding at regular intervals throughout the city. There was no great excitement in the early morning, as Paris was not easily alarmed in those days. All known causes of alarm had been experienced and the city's nerves were dulled to the old shocks.

But the fifteen-minute regularity of these dull—and sometimes sharp—explosions was, by mid-morning, causing talk and inciting a flow of that lively and shrugging speculation with which the French greet a new and possibly interesting phenomenon.

Already the word was going about that shells were falling into the city, but that explanation was generally dismissed. Were not the battle lines 120 kilometers away. And would invisible bombers drop one bomb each fifteen minutes?

Then the time would come, and all Paris heard a sound that only high explosives could have made.

A plausible explanation was soon found, and it seemed to permeate the city instantaneously. It acted as a sedative during the morning hours, and, in spite of the air raid alarm that had been given about 10 o'clock, it robbed the roar of sinister interpretation, at least for those at work indoors, until noon.

Explosion Linked to Arsenal

TEN days before, an arsenal at Courbevoie, a suburb of Paris, had suddenly shot into the air with the reverberation of a hundred thunderbolts let loose. It had rocked the ground and deafened one's ears and spread a grey blanket over the roofs of the city. Many precious shells had been dissipated and many loyal workers had died for France.

For days, the newspaper said, no one could approach the smoldering wreckage. Paris, fed on her daily bulletins from the front and her nightly raids from the air, had almost forgotten Courbevoie when she found an occasion to recall it to explain these explosions. They were cleaning up the debris of the ammunition dump and touching it off—what else?

Meanwhile the Military Governor and the city authorities were facing the situation with more knowledge of effects but little more of cause than the clerk at his ledger. They knew, of course, that shells were falling into Paris every quarter of an hour, killing and wounding people. Fragments of the shells which had fallen in a railroad yard in the northern part of the city were already being examined at the municipal laboratories and the rifling on them seemed to indicate that they had been fired from a gun and not dropped from an airplane. But for precaution's sake the possibility of the invisible bomber must be considered.

So the "alerte" was sounded for the first daylight air raid. The sirens shrieked, the warnings clanged through the streets and the luncheon crowds on the boulevards and in the cafes were thereby informed that they should take cover. They were singularly unimpressed by the warning. Few seemed to believe in the air raid theory, and the hum of the defensive planes aloft at this unusual hour caused little excitement. Paris was disturbed and unsure about this matter, but not ready to believe in methodical blasts from a clear sky.

Some Took to Shelters

SOME, it is true, took to the underground shelters. Those who had grown accustomed to nightly retreats to the "abris" when the enemy planes came over found it equally desirable to be under cover when the explosions occurred in the daytime. Here and there the business of the city came to a temporary standstill and the normal coming and going were somewhat disturbed. This one learned rather from later reports than from actual experience at the time. Some of the subways are said to have stopped for a time and people walked to their destinations through the empty—and safe—tubes. It was comforting to be underground.

On the streets one saw an occasional store whose proprietor had lowered the iron window shutters and relinquished gain for security. However, the telephone operators and the municipal employees, who had permission to leave their posts and seek refuge, placidly remained on the job.

The necessary official touch was added to the weird drama of the day when President Poincare, Premier Clemenceau and the Prefect of Paris visited a school where the 600 pupils were in the cellars of the buildings (it was reported as being "while the raid was still in progress" and were greeted by a chant of the "Marseillaise."

The temper of Paris at this time had been sharpened to its ultimate edge. The war was three and a half years old. Great hopes and despairs had come and gone, and apathy remained—and bitterness. Every day some of the beauty of France and some of the blood of France were being destroyed by the enemy, who stood eternally there, 120 kilometers from Paris.

The Winter of 1917-18, as war Winters went in France, was a quiet one. It was the calm before the storm, and every one knew this. Every newspaper story on the war, even the communiques, told in a guarded way of the coming final, desperate attack. France gathered her frayed nerves together and stood waiting.

Paris, the goal of the attack, was still Paris, though changed a bit, dark at night and resplendent in uniform by day, a little jumpy as to nerves, but still Paris. After all, every race in Europe had been at her gates in one century or another, and she was still Paris.

Raids Become Nightly

THE notice of the coming onslaught was served on Paris from the air. On January 31, 1918, the city suffered her first serious air raid since the early days of the war. Thereafter the raids came with depressing regularity and were almost nightly occurrences. Three million people were kept awake every night by the fear that they might be blown the next minute into eternity, and by this means a good groundwork was laid by the enemy for a direct attack on these people and their nerves.

The raids became more vicious and lasted in waves of bombers and consequent wails of the unearthly sirens and barking of the anti-aircraft guns most of the night. One bomb fell in the entrance to a subway station in which the street crowds had taken refuge, and no newspaper dared to tell the full truth of that slaughter.

The enemy was telling Paris that it was soon to begin its real attack. On March 20 and 21 the raids lasted nearly all night. On March 21 the great drive was launched on the English front, and the communiques told the people of Paris that in the greatest battle in the history of the world the lines were holding the enemy back. The gravity of the situation was realised, however. "Cette fois, c'est serieux," said Le Temps the next day under the heading, "Mille Trois Cent Vingt-Septieme Jour de la Guerre."

Paris had thus been prepared for anything, and her response to the mysterious bombardment on that clear Spring day—"journee veritablement printaniere et delicieuse"—was a compound of fatalism and uneasiness that was to be expected.

Except for the curiosity of the noonday crowds near the abortive air raid alarm, for which no "all clear" signal had been given, and the serious discussions of the gigantic battle that had begun two days before, Paris on the morning of March 23, 1918, outwardly differed not a great deal from the Paris of 500 previous war-time mornings.

Explosion Traced to New Gun

THEN a notice in the early afternoon edition of Le Temps and one or two other papers came upon the stage and gave the city its cue for the last acts of the day's drama. Appearing in the black-typed, single column devoted to "Derniere Heure," it announced that a great new gun was firing on Paris from the nearest point on the lines, 120 kilometres away. In the later editions the notice had ominously disappeared.

The methodical explosions mystified and troubled the city until late afternoon. Then they ceased. The cessation added to the mystery. It became another focal point of discussion over the apperitif.

The mild Spring evening found Paris out of doors and intent on a solution of the day's weird happenings. A night air raid was to be expected, of course, and that expectation and the latest reports from the front colored every thesis propounded to explain the events of the day.

During the evening positively confirmed reports of death and damage by explosive shells in various parts of the city spread from cafe to cafe and finally brought Paris as near to panic as she had been since September, 1914.

Paris became somewhat panic-stricken because she reasoned in this wise: Shells have been falling int the city all day; people have been killed by them; our leaders tell us that the enemy is held in check, 120 kilometres away; no gun can fire 120 kilometres; alors, they are not telling us the truth; the Germans are near Paris, Le Bon Dieu knows how near, and tomorrow, in all probability, they will be in Clichy and St. Denis and day after tomorrow they will ride up the Champs Elysees.

Restlessness Pervades City

THE air was charged that night, not with fear, but with restlessness and with a hopeless acceptance of fate's orders to "move on." In the dim blue light of the streets little groups at cafe tables were silent, a bad sign in Paris.

At nine o'clock the screaming sirens on the Tour St. Jacques and St. Sulpice and the Arc de Triomphe announced the third air raid in twenty-four hours, and a nasty one. The air was split by their shrieks and the earth was shaken by the falling bombs and the roar of the anti-aircraft guns. The invaders were driven away by an hour and a half later.

The next day, a beautiful Palm Sunday, was ushered in by the now familiar explosions which began at twenty-minute intervals and increased to twelve-minute ones during the course of the day. The new day restored the city's composure, and, while thousands crowded the trains leaving for the south, there was no disorder and the aspect of the streets was normal. The churches were crowded and the old women who sold palm leaves scorned the big gun and did a thriving business.

Some still believed that the lines had broken, and to dispel their fears an official note was issued, stating that "the French front is intact. Any assertion to the contrary is a lie."

Source of Shells Established

ON Sunday the firing ceased shortly after noon and the "all-clear" signal was given at 3:30 o'clock. On this day it was definitely established that Paris was being bombarded by a gun with an unprecedented and almost undreamed of range of seventy-five miles. The location of the gun was discovered to be in the Forest of St. Gobain, near Anizy and Laon, some twelve miles behind the nearest approach of the trenches to Paris and exactly seventy-six miles from the centre of the city.

On Sunday the Germans officially announced that they had "bombarded the fortress of Paris with long-range artillery."

On Monday the newspapers told the full story of the gun and its operations, and while the southward exodus of the fearful continued the real Paris came to accept "La Grosse Bertha" as an unwelcome visitor and made the best of her periodic intrusions. The Government announced that the bombardment was not to interrupt the normal life of the capital and made opera-bouffe preparations of alarm signals or drums and whistles, which were riotously caricatured by the press before they were two days old.

For Paris, once it knew the truth, had accepted the situation with good grace and was prepared even to get fun out of it. Le Temps on Monday had summed up the situation in an article full of good sense, which reflected the courageous philosophy of the city. After saying that "we are living in a story out of Jules Verne or H. G. Wells," the paper dismissed what remaining fears there might be, in the statement that "we can always count on the Parisian's "sang-froid" and his willingness to adapt himself to circumstances."

The attitude of Paris thereafter was that no Grosse Bertha could poke such a long finger into her eye and draw tears. The armies were fighting magnificently for every inch. What if a shell or two came toward Paris?

Marks Left in Wide Path

IN her mile-wide sweep across the centre of Paris Bertha left marks, of course, that were not pleasant to see. A jagged hole in the front of someone's home told the passer-by that Bertha's message had been left there only a short time before, for the material evidence of her visits was soon removed.

Only once after the first few days was Big Bertha taken seriously by the populace of Paris. One of the big gun's shells struck a Paris church on Good Friday and killed seventy-five people assembled in worship. No more disastrous accident happened to either side during the war, for every vestige of the gun's threatening power was then lost in the wave of anger that arose.

So, as day after day passed and the chestnut trees along the Champs Elysees were in bloom and the scary people were safe in Bordeaux or Lyons and the Big Bertha's periodic coughs were an old story, the spirit of Paris was to be seen in a lunchgon party of bearded and vivacious gentleman who were placing wagers on the exact time of the next shell's fall.

The watches were on the table. Conversation ceased as the zero minute approached. The gentleman who had bet the next explosion would occur more than fifteen minutes after the last one, anxiously inspected the watches and listened. When the second hands passed the winning post before Bertha's arrival, he transferred his pile of saucer-counters with a cry of "Gagne!" to the loser. The big gun had not terrorized Paris.

Grave 4,000 Years Old Found

Containing the remains of what are thought to be a mother and child of the neolithic or the beginning of the Bronze Age, a cist or grave more than 4,000 years old was recently found by workmen at Echt, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. The roadmen made the discovery while moving a mound of stones known as Ordes Cairn. Throughout the soil which filled the cavity were strewn small pieces of partially-burned human bones, many of which were so fragmentary as to defy identification. It is believed the two were buried about 2000 B.C. Dr. Robert Weir, Emeritus Professor of Anatomy of Aberdeen University, advised further search for other interments.

A Page For CHILDREN

Concerning Easter Eggs

By Mrs. Nestor Noel

MURIEL and Emma had felt very depressed when they first left the farm and came to town. They had a big garden at the back of their house; but, somehow, after the one hundred and sixty acres on their prairie, it did not look big to them. They had no animals, they missed the young colts, the long-legged calves, the dogs and the cats.

"We haven't even a chicken," sighed Muriel, the elder of the two.

"What do people do in a town," asked Emma looking out on the drizzling rain, her little nose pressed hard against the window pane. So they looked every afternoon, awaiting Daddy's return from work.

"It was fun hunting for eggs," said Muriel. "You remember we got ten cents every time we discovered a new nest. Oh, there's Daddy! What has he brought in his truck? I wonder if it is a surprise."

The children ran to the back door, for the truck had gone round there. After that there were surprises and surprises for the next few weeks. Chicken coops took their place in the back yard: there was a high wire fence put up, and soon, to the children's great joy, there were chickens: beautiful White Leghorns!

"O Muriel," cried Emma. "I'm so happy I could dance for joy. I could hug all the chickens."

Soon there were eggs, some days more, some days less, but there were always eggs.

Easter Sunday would soon be here. The girls knew that Mother would give them pink boiled eggs for breakfast—just like they had on the farm! How the eggs became pink no one knew; that was Mother's secret. On that day and for a week afterwards they were pink!

It was the Saturday before Easter. Agatha, a thin, delicate little girl who lived next door, was looking wistfully through the fence while Muriel fed the chickens.

"Do you like them," asked Muriel, proud to display her flock.

"They're lovely," answered Agatha wistfully.

"We're going to have pink eggs for breakfast," said Muriel. "Do you have pink eggs on Easter Sunday?"

Agatha shook her head sadly.

"O well," went on Muriel. "It's a secret of Mother's because I collect the eggs so I know they are not laid pink. Anyway, everyone has eggs on Easter Sunday. We might even have a few made of chocolate. Will you have some?"

"We do not have eggs of any sort now," said Agatha. "Daddy is out of work, and eggs cost a great deal of money."

"They do not cost us anything," boasted Muriel, who did not seem to remember that someone had to pay for the chicken feed. "Why don't you get chickens?"

The tears rolled down Agatha's pale cheeks as she answered: "We cannot get anything now—not anything."

Muriel looked at the girl surprised. She had never noticed before how shabbily she was dressed and that her boots were very much mended. "Oh, there's Mother calling me to dinner," cried Muriel. Good-bye."

When she went into her dinner and sat down at the well-spread table she thought about Agatha. After dinner she and Emma sat on a couch and whispered.

Mother caught a word now and then: "Dreadfully poor! No chickens! No eggs—not even white ones."

When Mother sat down to the mending, two serious girls stood before her.

"Mother," said Muriel. "Emma and I are going to take a pretty box and trim it with crepe paper. Will you fill it with pink eggs for us early tomorrow?"

"Wouldn't you rather have the eggs on your plates," asked Mother.

"No," began Emma. "We want to give—"

"Hush!" cried Muriel. "It's a secret."

Mother looked from one little girl to the other, then she smiled and said: "If you get up early and leave the box on the table overnight, you might find it full in the morning."

"We must," cried Muriel. "It's very important."

"Very well," said Mother.

Easter Sunday Muriel and Emma entered the kitchen early, before anyone was up. Their prettily decorated box was on the table filled with pink eggs. In the middle were one big chocolate egg and one white sugar one.

On tiptoe the two children left the house, carrying the box carefully. Then they rang the next door bell, and when Agatha opened it they handed her the box saying: "A happy Easter. We've brought you pink eggs and a sugar egg and a chocolate one. We trimmed the box ourselves. Do you like it?"

"Is it for me, myself," asked Agatha, too surprised to do anything but look at the box.

"Yes," said Emma. "We hope you will like it?"

"Oh, I will," cried Agatha, and this time she held out her hands eagerly.

"Good-bye," shouted the two girls, and went back to their house.

Since they had been gone, Mother had got up. There were pink eggs in their own places.

"O Mother," cried Muriel. "I did not think we would have eggs today."

"Well," said Mother, "there were enough to go round. Our chickens are laying very well now. We are going to see that pale-faced little Agatha has an egg every morning for breakfast and another for dinner."

"O Mother," cried Muriel, "I'm so glad you got those lovely Leghorns."

"If it had not been for two thoughtful little girls who wanted to give another girl Easter eggs for a treat, I might never have known that Agatha needed them," observed Mother.

"How did we help," asked Emma.

Mother smiled. "You put it in my head when I saw you making the decorations for the box. I called on my neighbor, Agatha's mother, and I found out a few things about her. I am going to let her do a little work for me."

"And can we have Agatha to play with us sometimes," asked Muriel.

"Yes," said Mother. "You can ask her to dinner tomorrow. It will be Easter Monday. You can ask her Father and Mother, too."

This was the beginning of a good time for Agatha, who grew stronger and stronger. Her Mother says she dates her rosy cheeks from the time Muriel and Emma gave that pretty box of pink Easter eggs!

The Month of April

"Come up April through the valley
In your robes of beauty drest,"

begins one of the prettiest of the many sweet songs our school children sing. The English poetess, Christina Rossetti, wrote:

"Young leaves clothe early hedgerow trees;
Seeds and roots and stones of fruits,
Swollen with sap, put forth their shoots;
Curled headed ferns sprout in the lane,
Birds sing and pair again."

As we read we wonder how true the lines are of our own country at this time of the year except that we miss the hedgerows of English fields. Browning's

"Oh, to be in England
Now that April's here,
And whoever wakes in England
Sees some morning, unaware,
That the lowest boughs on the brushwood sheaf
Round the elm tree bole are in tiny leaf,
While the chaffinch sings on the orchard bough
In England—now!"

has an echo in many a heart.

No month in the year receives a heartier welcome in Victoria than this blossoming time. It is said that April comes from a Latin word which means to open, and from its beginning to its close we may watch the buds unfold. The peach and the very early pear and plum may have cast away their brown wrappings in the latter days of March, but in the weeks to come orchards are lovely in snowy white or delicate pink. Before it is over oak trees will have become "a rosy mist."

One beauty succeeds another in our gardens. Indeed, the feast of loveliness is never over. This is the month of wild flowers which are born in the damp earth. Pick them sparingly and carefully, children, unless you would have them disappear from the wild places, growing scarcer year by year.

The birds are coming back to make their Summer home with us and rear their families. Almost, if not all, these birds of passage help the gardener and the fruit grower. Many other families will come if we protect the April visitors who come now. Many could not live in the dark fir woods that in the old days hid the sun would thrive in the farms, gardens and orchards that have taken their places. Learn to know these April visitors, children, and to welcome their coming.

April is the seed time of Vancouver Island, and indeed, of a great part of Caada. Before it is over we may look for the green of young plants in field and garden. As bird and bee, seed and blossom teach us, it is a time of promise.

To school children it brings a holiday, a glad and happy time. May every one of April's thirty lengthening days be filled with delight for each of our readers.

Song for the Tiny Tots

Clear blue is the morning,
Golden glows the sun,
Twinkle go the little stars
When the day is done.

Softly in their blankets
Little children creep—
Bright stars are the angels' eyes
Which guard me while I sleep.

Machines, which date and issue tickets and also give the necessary change for coins dropped in a slot, have been installed in the London underground railway.

Cinderella

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Cinderella went to the ball and everyone wanted to know who the beautiful lady was.

The prince danced with her more than anyone else.

Cinderella saw her sisters when she was dancing with the prince. They even talked to her but she was so beautiful they did not know her.

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The prince took Cinderella into supper. She was as happy as she could be as she sat by the prince at the beautiful table.

After supper they were dancing and Cinderella saw the clock. It was two minutes of twelve. She stopped quickly and said, "I must go," and ran away before the prince could stop her.

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April Fool's Day

A VERY old custom, and one very widespread, is that of playing practical jokes on friends or relatives on the first day of April. Its origin is not known, though everywhere it seems to take the form of sending one on a folish errand. The person surprised or deceived, usually joins heartily in the laugh at his own, or her own, expense.

In England the person who has been caught unawares is greeted, as here, with the shout of "April Fool." In Scotland he is called an "April Gowk," and in France an "April Fish." Among the older jokes were to send one for pigeon's milk or the History of Adam's Grandfather. Most of us have stopped to fasten a shoe-string that was securely tied, looked for a tear in a garment that was quite whole, or gone to a mirror to find a spot on a face that was perfectly clean.

Tradition says the jokes must all be played before noon. Good humored people may get fun out of the old custom, no others should try to make an April Fool. No one should be hurt either in mind or body on this day.

Moving Day

Whene'er I see a moving van
A-lumbering down the way,
With household gods and goddesses
In weird and wild array,
I gaily place where none shall see
A-top a crazy load,
Just one thing more, then watch it go
So slowly down the road.

It's such a little trifling thing,
As thin and light as air,
That none shall mark its added weight
And none shall know it's there.
But when the load is lifted off
Some silent rooms to grace,
I hope my tiny unseen gift
May find a homey place.

It's just a little kindly wish—
And half of it's a prayer—
That happiness may go along
And meet the family there!

FRANCES EBBS-CANAVAN.

NOTE: This pretty poem is to be recited at the Musical Festival by one of the children under ten.

A Beautiful Prayer

WE beseech Thee, Lord, to behold us with favor, folk of many families and nations gathered together in the peace of this roof, weak men and women subsisting under the covert of Thy patience.

Be patient still; suffer us yet a while longer; with our broken purposes of good, with our idle endeavors against evil, suffer us a while longer to endure, and (if it may be) help us to do better. Bless to us our extraordinary mercies; if the day come when these must be taken, brace us to play the man under affliction. Be with our friends, be with ourselves. Go with each of us to rest; if any awake, temper to them the dark hours of watching; and when the day returns return to us our sun and comforter, and call us up with morning faces and with morning hearts, eager to labor, eager to be happy (if happiness shall be our portion), and, if the day be marked for sorrow, strong to endure it.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

My Sewing Needle

In and out goes my needle sharp,
In and out like a silver dart;
On and on with busy seam,
Bearing the thread with a cheerful gleam.

Men have torn you with pick and spade
From your secret hiding place deeply laid.
Into the furnace fiery blast
To cleanse you from the dross you're cast.

Into a factory now you're taken,
Melted again and shaped and shaken.
Then rolled and cut and pointed to be
Polished and packed and brought to me.

See, needle dear, how they've worked for you!
Let's see what my needle and I can do.

M. ELLIOT.

Peter Pan Kindergarten, 2803 Cedar Hill Road.

Spring

Spring is here,
All things are full of cheer,
The birds are sweetly singing
And flowers all around are springing
To make the big world glad.

MARGARET CRANDALL.
Age 9.

London, Ontario.

Earl Grey, Former Governor-General of Canada

AMONG Canada's many Governors-General during the past sixty years perhaps none have endeared themselves more to Canadians or more worthily filled his high office than Albert, Earl Grey.

It is more than ten years since his work in this world was finished, and, perhaps, you will like to learn a little about a high-minded, loyal gentleman, who believed that the British Empire was great then and would become greater still in the future. In its wide spaces, he thought, there was room for many millions of good and happy men, women and children. Coming to Canada in the years when the great empty prairie spaces were being covered with golden grain, when mines were being developed and cities were growing up on every hand, when sea and forest were adding to her wealth and factories were busy, Earl Grey thought that our country would take the lead among Britain's overseas Dominions.

Earl Grey helped in many ways to make his dream of what Canada should be come true. One of the greatest and wisest men of his time, Lord Bryce, said: "No more beautiful or lovable character has adorned our generation, or borne more worthily the tests of long life and high office."

Bertie Grey at School

WHEN Albert Grey was a child he lived in or near the palaces of Queen Victoria, chiefly at Windsor Castle. His father, a British general, was secretary at first to Prince Albert and afterwards to Queen Victoria. As he grew up Bertie Grey played with the younger sons of the Queen and their friends.

When he was fourteen his father was afraid the handsome lad would depend too much on him and his mother if he sent him to Eton, which was quite near home, so he chose Harrow, one of the great public schools further away. He wrote a letter to his boy there which was never forgotten by his son. He said:

"At Harrow you will meet many more and older boys than you have yet done, and amongst such a number there are sure to be some whose acquaintance is not desirable. Yet I would have you good-natured and civil to all; your own good sense and feeling will easily show you those of whom you can make friends. You will also see and hear much that I could wish you not to see and hear. But I trust implicitly to you never to forget that you are a gentleman, and don't be led by the example of others to indulge in vulgar or improper language. Show by your silence on such occasions, or by avoiding, as far as you can, boys who may use such language that you do not like it. But keep on good terms with all your fellow-scholars.

"And now, God bless you, my darling boy. So far I have had every occasion to be satisfied and proud of you, and I am sure you love me well enough to endeavor to continue to make me so."

Bertie Grey, during all his school and college life, so behaved as to win the love and esteem of all. He was not a brilliant student and enjoyed all the fun of the other boys, playing all the games and taking part in the diversions of school life.

A Lover of Nature and of Men

HE loved this beautiful world and very early determined to try to make it a happier and a better one. He was friends with the men who were trying to lessen the evils of ignorance and poverty of Great Britain. Lord Grey went into Parliament, but he was not one of those who could follow a party leader, whatever course he took. This nobleman might have lived at ease on his estate in Northumberland. Though he loved country life there, Earl Grey felt that there was work to do for Great Britain overseas. He became Governor of the rich province which Cecil Rhodes added to the Empire and served his country in other parts of the world.

Governor-General of Canada

IN King Edward Seventh's reign Earl Grey was sent in 1904 as Governor-General to Canada. Though the King's representative must almost always sanction any bill passed by Parliament, it is not to be supposed that he is an idle person. When he is a good and an able man his influence is felt in many ways. Earl Grey taught Canadians that their country was loved and valued by Great Britain. He showed them that our country could only prosper if there was peace at home. There was no room for dislike or jealousy between people of different races and religions. Like the King, his master, he was a peacemaker. With all his heart he helped in the great festival at Quebec which celebrated the founding of Canada by Champlain, the great Frenchman, three hundred years before.

His Sympathy

LORD Grey found out in his journeys through Canada that there was much suffering because of loneliness. There is a story told of a shy, ignorant girl who was charmed into telling of her longing for something to read. By next mail her visitor sent her a book. He visited lonely farmhouses and comforted the women who spent their lives far from their old homes. He made them feel how important was the work they were doing in the world.

Nothing that would help in making the people of Canada, whether young or old, was thought of little importance. That lonely or poor mothers should have nurses and their babies good milk to drink were among the things the Governor-General and his wife worked for. Wherever he went Earl Grey brought comfort. Full of life and happiness himself, he banished as far as he could sadness and misery from those around him.

In great things as in small Earl Grey promoted goodwill. He believed Canada and the United States should live as friendly, helpful neighbors, and did what he could to banish jealousy and distrust.

Long, Hard Journeys

FROM ocean to ocean and far into the North the Governor-General journeyed. He studied Canada and when he returned to England was able to tell what he saw and, more important, perhaps, what he felt.

Lord Grey returned in 1911. Much of his work was done very quietly. Very few Canadians met him. Yet we are more loyal to the great union of states to which we belong because he lived among us. Perhaps more important than all was the example of a noble, pure, happy and loving life which this great Englishman set before our people.

Note.—If any of our readers would like to learn more about this distinguished gentleman they should read "Albert, Fourth Earl Grey, a Last Word," by Harold Begbie. It is in the Public Library.

What Rubber Is

Where It Comes From and Some of Its Uses

SPRING has come, and this first week in April little children, big boys and girls, men and women, are playing ball. The little folk bounce and throw the soft rubber ball that will do no harm even if it strikes the window pane. Footballs are kicked, baseballs struck by the lads and men, big sisters and their sweethearts are away at tennis, fathers and mothers, uncles and aunts and some grandfathers are playing golf. Nearly, if not all, the balls they use are made of rubber in whole or in part. What were the tennis balls made of that the Dauphin of France sent to Henry V of England? Not of rubber, we may be sure, for it was long after that time that white men learned the uses of the gum which Columbus told the world the red men of Haiti used to make their balls.

It is not much more than a hundred years since the world began to know the many uses to which the dried juice of trees growing in Brazil and other South American countries and islands could be put. It was first found that cloth treated with a mixture of it was made waterproof. Then a famous English chemist, Joseph Priestly, found, about 1770, that a piece of the South American substance would rub out pencil marks, and artists were willing to give high prices for India "rubber," as they called it. A few years later waterproof shoes and water bags were made, and all who could afford them were buying mackintosh coats and cloaks, even though they did not stand the heat very well.

It was not until 1839 that an American inventor, Charles Goodyear, after many failures, discovered how to treat rubber so that it could stand heat or cold and be made hard or yielding as it was needed. Your teacher's fountain pen, the insulators on the telephone poles, much of the hospital apparatus, telephone mouthpieces and hundreds of other things in everyday use are made of the vulcanized rubber Charles Goodyear first gave to the world.

Many years ago carriages were made more comfortable by rubber tires, and you must all know that an automobile without rubber would be useless.

Light, resilient, waterproof, a non-conductor of electricity, rubber is one of the necessities of life today, and it is hard to realize that a hundred years ago few of its uses were known.

There are many kinds of trees that produce rubber. They are natives of tropical America. These trees have, however, been raised from seed by British planters in Malaya, Ceylon, Borneo and many other parts of Asia and Australasia. Now United States companies have obtained rubber plantations in Sumatra, Malaya and Liberia as well as in Brazil. As it takes a long time for rubber to grow, the British possessions will still be the chief source of the world's supply of a substance needed in all civilized lands. Chemists are trying to find a way to make rubber without the help of the trees of the tropics.

In The Literary Digest of March 24 there is a long and very interesting article on the "Romance of Rubber as a Bouncing International Football," reproducing much of a story in The New York Times Magazine by Eunice Fuller Barnard. Those who wish a fuller account than this abstract should read it.

THIS CANADA OF OURS

The First British Governor of Canada

By J. S. MORRISON

THE FIRST BRITISH GOVERNOR OF CANADA WAS GENERAL JAMES MURRAY. HE HAD A HARD TASK, AS ALL THE PEOPLE LIVING IN THE COUNTRY WERE FRENCH, SOLDIERS, AND TRADERS FROM THE COLONIES

THE TRADERS WERE AN AGGRESSIVE LOT, WHO WISHED TO IMPOSE THEIR OWN LAWS AND CUSTOMS ON "A CONQUERED PEOPLE". MURRAY WOULD NOT HAVE THIS, AND IN THE END HE WAS RECALLED.

AT FIRST MURRAY WAS MILITARY GOVERNOR. BUT AFTER FOUR YEARS A PROCLAMATION WAS ISSUED. MILITARY RULE CEASED AND A CIVIL GOVERNMENT WAS ESTABLISHED. ENGLAND NOW HAD 17 COLONIES—FOUR OF THEM IN CANADA.

MURRAY WROTE "I GLORY IN HAVING BEEN ACCUSED OF WARMTH AND FIRMNESS IN PROTECTING THE KING'S CANADIAN SUBJECTS-----A BRAVE HARDY PEOPLE."

Suburb and Country

Agriculture is a first principle: on it rests the life and happiness of mankind.—Julius A. Dimock

Sheep Raising by Farmers

By W. HASTIE COCHRANE

IT was Thomas Bates, one of the famous pioneer breeders of England, who declared that "There were many men in England who were amply qualified to make an excellent Prime Minister, but that he could name on the fingers of one hand, and then use not all of the fingers, the men who were qualified to be breeders of fine stock." And since Bates' day both England and Scotland have well upheld the great pure-bred stock industry, one of the most valuable in all Britain. But as time goes on we find the newer countries are rivalling and even surpassing Britain at least in individual records, for the highest priced short-horn is raised in the Argentine, the highest priced and most valuable sheep in Australia, though of a breed, however, to which Britain makes no pretentions, the American Hereford is of better quality than the English, the highest milk records for Holstein-Freisian cows go to the United States and to Canada, and New Zealand has evolved a breed of sheep of which any country may gain benefit by importation.

Canada at present will be principally interested in getting down to serious business in sheep and wool growing and in discovering by thorough research and experiment what this country is best suited for and most capable of producing in the various classes of sheep and wools.

Cross Breeding

IN no sphere of husbandry is cross-breeding more extensively followed than with sheep. Apart from the advantages of crossing in the commercial properties, to begin with, it is generally recognized that cross-breds usually give less trouble, thus being more suitable for less experienced breeders, make more speedy gain in weight and are generally hardier than pure-breds. This must not be taken to reflect upon pure-bred sheep, in which one can find vigorous strains capable of giving as good or better results than cross-breds, provided they are placed in the proper environment.

Crossing, however, gives very great variety to sheep breeding and so ubiquitous and adaptable is the race that a combination can be found to flourish in almost any land and climate. In every sheep-breeding country greatly increased attention is being given now to research in breeding, and to the Animal Breeding Research Department now operating in connection with Edinburgh University, donations have been received from the U.S.A. and many other countries. With more knowledge, which will eventually be gained, cross-breeding will become less of a haphazard method and will be reduced to a definite system. But it must not be assumed that pure breeds will suffer even with an increased interest being taken in cross-bred sheep. It is obvious that successful cross-breeding depends largely upon successful pure-breds.

In Newer Countries

IN certain directions cross-breeding is a natural consequence of the different environments under which stock farming is practiced. Thus in newer countries where a hardier sheep at first prevails the cross-breds are generally more successful when descended from the mountain and higher land types of sheep, especially when those are to be run on rough lands and uncultivated pastures.

The black-faced mountain sheep, the Cheviot, Swaledale, Herdwick and Welsh mountain are all types of sheep which owe their existence to the ability to survive despite extreme climatic conditions. The mountain breeds are by many people apt to be criticized as small sheep, but those breeds are at the present day coming very much into their own in the present demand for a mutton on the small side, and great attention is being paid to the improvement in the wool of those breeds, which is all to the good so long as care be taken that the character which the wool of black-faced mountain or highland and Cheviot undoubtedly possess, is not bred out or deteriorated in the process.

The Cheviot and black-faced will undoubtedly become valued sheep in Canada both as pure-breds and for crossing purposes for which both breeds have been extensively and long in use for the raising of Scotch-fed mutton, which week after week brings the very highest prices in Smithfield, London, market.

In most classes of stock it is generally inadmissable to go on breeding from cross-breds and it is usual that those shall all go to market. The fact is that most often the best market type is a cross-bred. The reason of this is that if you mate two animals of different breeds you often get results which possess the good points of both parents. If both parents have good points which are dominant the happiest results are exemplified.

In all these questions of selection and classification in sheep and wool there lies before us in Canada an immense field for investigation. Under the Dominion Research Council such an investigation is being organized in Canada. The British Research Association for the Woolen and Worsted Industries has been operating for some years and they acknowledge that though wool as raw material is of such immense importance in the Dominions and to the Empire, yet the fundamental work of standardization of the "quality," as a term, on which wool is produced, bought, sold and manufactured, has been left to take an unguided course.

With the revival in world demand for more wool there appears little likelihood of any overproduction or lowering of prices for some time to come. The supply for the forthcoming season will be smaller. There will be 250,000 bales less from Australia than last season. There will be thirty million pounds less from South America. Japan is buying more raw wool than ever before; they are now using 120 million pounds of raw wool besides eight million pounds of tops per annum and Canada has the opportunity of growing not only sufficient wool for her own requirements, but will, if the question of increased production be taken seriously and is rapidly carried out, have an enviable chance of becoming a worthwhile wool growing country. But this will not take place if we are satisfied to go slow and trust to the increase in small flocks. It will not take place if we are satisfied with the sheep which we at present have, and with the haphazard methods of breeding which exist. It has recently been stated from the Live Stock Commissioner's Office at Ottawa that Canada has reached such a high standard in quality of sheep that no importations are required from any country in the world.

Garden Week by Week

By NORMAN W. F. RANT, F.R.H.S.

THE ideal way of building an artistic garden would be to lay it out before the house is built. Alas, for these counsels of perfection! In cities, like Victoria, where street lines have to be followed exactly, the owner must take things as he finds them, planning the garden after the home has been completed. Still, it is only good common sense to make a definite plan of the prospective garden and stick to it. For most gardens all that will be necessary is quite a simple little drawing.

It should show boundary lines, drives and walks, existing buildings, trees that are to be retained, a note of the direction of the views which are to be preserved and those that are to be blocked out, not forgetting the points of the compass. Such a plan submitted to a garden architect would, no doubt, be the means of obtaining many useful hints as to planting, but in any case make a plan, even if you propose disigning your own garden.

A House Setting

THE front garden is important, yet not always most important. The community has to be considered in this connection and on account of community considerations the best possible effect should be produced here. A town front garden is as a rule only large enough to make a setting for the house and take it a little back from the street.

The saying that "it is not a home 'till it is planted" is very true. Bare foundations and straight lines are always noticeable features of a home as yet unplanted. What is known as "foundation planting" is an effort to hide or soften the severity of the bare house and to form a pleasing connecting link between the building and the ground. Evergreen shrubs will, in most cases, be the best subjects for this purpose, particularly if some of the berry-bearing shrubs are introduced, as these are attractive during the Winter months. Plant the taller-growing subjects between the windows and the dwarfer-growers under them. Make the planting irregular and where the taller shrubs are used make the bed the widest.

Individual Ideas

IN the garden at the side or rear of the house the objects to be kept in mind are the preservation of views that are worth while, the securing of a certain amount of seclusion, and the shutting out of unattractive features. Where it is impossible to shut out a bad feature altogether, try, at least, to shut it out from the points most used. While general rules are worth considering, individual taste in arrangement, the kinds of plants to be used, the color schemes and seasons of blooming should each be kept in mind, especially at the time of initial planting.

In grading the ground a few principles should be remembered. Ground near the house should be as level as possible. Broken surfaces are quite all right as lawns recede from the building. The ground near walks should be level for a few feet at least, after which it may be made to slope in any desired direction. The points from which to grade are the steps to the house floor level and the path or paths in the front and rear of the house.

How to Grade

THE ground in many city lots will be found to slope from or to the rear of the house. If the grade is only slight it may remain much as it is. If, however, there is a real sense of slope, it is best to level for a short distance back from the house, making a small terrace from which the remaining ground can assume the natural grade. Artificiality in grading should be avoided. This need not prevent the making of a sunken garden or the leveling of a portion of the ground for games.

Walks should be provided, but not more than are necessary. There should be a reason for each path made. A walk leading to a seat is allowable, but one leading nowwhere is out of harmony. See, too, that all paths are wide enough, if possible, for two people to walk abreast.

The layout of the back garden will depend upon the purpose for which it will be used. There are those who want to grow vegetables, others want fruit trees, while most people will use a city garden for ornamental purposes only. These matters must be left to the individual taste.

Many Possibilities

A GOOD lawn surrounded by flower and shrub borders is perhaps the most satisfying form for a back garden to take, but then there are so many features, anyone of which are interesting, that may appeal to the individual. One will want to go in for sweet peas, another for dahlias, still another for rock plants and so on. All one can do is to let each one work out his own salvation by the route that suits him best, and, after all, so long as he gardens in some form or another he will be enjoying the best and most lasting of all hobbies.

Spring's Harbinger—Chionodoxa

"THE GLORY OF THE SNOW"

Freak Garden Products

By J. D. SMITH

QUITE apart from the serious researches pursued by experts at experimental farms up and down the country, there are "experiments" which anyone can perform in the smallest of gardens which are productive of amusement and pleasure and some mental profit, even if they have no economic aim or justification.

The tremendous advances made in recent years along the lines of novel productions in the garden allow us to glimpse a future which will be filled with oddities which, even if they do leave the plaudits of the world at large to go to the productions of the serious horticulturist, are still valuable in that they serve to satisfy the human craving for change and novelty.

Few of us—even those who love their gardens best—have a full appreciation of the extremely accommodating temperament which obtains in the vegetable kingdom, or of the ease with which the plastic forces of plant life can be bent and shaped to suit our whim.

Vari-Colored Hyacinths

TAKE, for example, the stately hyacinth. It is not generally known that this dignified member of the bulbous family can be made to satisfy a vulgar demand for something new. Yet curious combinations of color, apparently coming from the one central stem, can easily be produced.

At planting time take two hyacinth bulbs of strongly contrasting colors from a group whose members flower at the same time, and carefully slit each bulb down the centre with a sharp knife—taking care not to touch the "heart" of either bulb. The halves containing the "heart" are bound firmly together with raffia and in time they coalesce. When the flowering season comes the central spike will bear flowers of the two colors which were chosen.

A Trick Rose

NOT quite so simple but along the same lines is a trick which used to be played with roses. A standard rose can be produced which will carry red, white and yellow blossoms simultaneously. This is done by grafting different colored roses on a common stem. Care must be taken that the grafts selected are from roses which bloom at the same time.

Color, indeed, is probably the easiest thing to influence with flowers. A solution of alum added to the potting soil will turn the pink hydrangea blue. Fragments of rusty iron added to the soil will produce a somewhat similar effect.

Cut flowers with soft stems are easily changed in hue by standing them in differently colored solutions. Lily of the Valley, for example, can be made red, green, or violet by standing it in inks of these colors. Green carnations for St. Patrick's Day are produced by standing the stems of the white blossoms in green ink.

Producing the pip-less apple was an old trick in which gardeners of a more leisurely age than the present delighted. These apples were grown on dwarf trees in pots and at blossom time great care was taken to remove the male elements of the flower before they shed pollen. Then the gardener would "tickle" the torus with a camel hair brush and set in motion the machinery for the production of the curiosity.

Cacti Possibilities

GROWERS of cacti can, with patience, produce vegetable milking stools, railway engines and five-barred gates. Most members of this family coalesce readily, and patience, a grafting knife and training sticks are all that are required to produce queer shapes and curious combinations of color.

George Meredith, the novelist, wrote of "dewy violets . . . . hiding under the village green," but one can produce a violet plant which has nothing fugitive about it. A strong plant is selected and all but the strongest runner is cut off. This runner is tied to an upright stake and carefully robbed of all its side shoots. By leaving three or four at the top a strong globular head is produced which makes a very attractive bloom even if it is robbed of its traditional modesty.

Very clear lettering or sketching can be produced on vegetable marrows if the outlines are scratched on the surface with a sharp nail when the marrow is about five or six inches long. As the fruit grows the scratchings grow with it and some fine advertisements have been obtained by this method on marrows three and four feet long.

The production of giants and dwarfs is simple. Giant marrows are produced by restricting the number of fruits on a strong plant to two or three. These remaining fruits have a double strand of wool threaded through the stem near the fruit which is led into a jar containing a solution of sugar and water let into the ground. On this solution the marrow "feeds" and attains enormous size.

Fatted Gooseberries

CORPULENT gooseberries may be produced by pulling out the dry tips at the base of the berry and supending small containers with water so that the berry just makes contact with the surface of the water. More naturally large gooseberries are obtained by restricting the bush to one or two stems and growing it on the cordon principle.

Dwarf trees—of apparently great antiquity—are simple productions. There is no need to import ancient oaks from the Orient for one can grow them in an orange skin.

After cutting a round hole in an orange the contents are carefully extracted and the skin filled up with a mixture of peat moss, loam and some charcoal. An acorn is inserted and in a short time a small oak tree appears. Roots of the ancient tree will make their way through the skin when they should be snipped off. As soon as growth has fairly commenced the water given to the tree should be reduced in quantity until only enough is given to keep it alive.

In a few seasons the tree will have every appearance of venerable antiquity. The same thing can be done in a small "thumb" pot, occasionally pulling out the hard ball of roots and soil to administer a snipping to the roots.

Farming Is Now Highly Specialized Work Says Expert

FOR a cost of five cents an acre it is now possible to treat seed corn with a chemical dust that increases the yield per acre by one to twelve bushels. This is the result of work done by Dr. A. G. Johnson, of the United States Department of Agriculture, and Dr. Koehler, of the Illinois Agricultural Experiment Station. It is not long ago that the "wise" old farmers scoffed at the boys who went off to college to learn farming. The old formula for successful farming was hard work and plenty of it. The farmer who does not take advantage of such information as the above, which before planting time will be broadcast through every farm journal in the United States, is among those doomed to failure. The agricultural colleges had a hard struggle in early life, but they have made good. Farming is now a highly specialized business.

World's First Horses Only as Large as Common Cat

THE world's first horses, so far as is known, were as small as cats. They are known by the scientific name of "eohippus," which means "dawn horse," and, according to the estimates of paleontologists, lived about 55,000,000 years ago. A cast of the skull of one such horse found in the bad lands of Wyoming and a model showing him as he appeared in life, are now on exhibition at the Field Museum of Natural History in Chicago. In body and features the eohippus resembled closely the appearance of the modern animal, but he had four toes. In the museum exhibit there are also skulls, feet and models of later types of horses, some of which had three toes, down to the modern one-toed or hoofed horse.

Irate Hotel Guest ('phoning to office): I say, what's the idea? Somebody's running up and down the halls and I can't catch a wink of sleep. Apologetic Clerk: I'm very sorry, sir, but you see, we have no control over the fire brigade.

Care of Poultry on the Farm

By R. C. GIBSON

HATCHING the heavier breeds may still be continued if the last month's output proved inadequate. The non-sitting varieties—Anconas, Leghorns, and Minorcas—must be produced this month so that they will begin to lay before Winter sets in. They mature faster than the Asiatics and are on the whole more profitable as egg producers. There are probably more chickens hatched in April than in any other month, and overcrowding must be avoided at all costs. As the foster mothers become vacated by the older lots, wash them out with quicklime containing a little paraffin oil, and leave them open to the sun and air. Keep old and young separate, and put the cockerels and pullets of the earlier hatches apart as soon as they can be distinguished. Put the "best" on the market at the first opportunity, but beware of sending out under-sized, badly fattened specimens. Aim at the "best" and grade the consignments according to size and quality. If there are any surplus eggs, incubate them and sell the chickens as "day olds" or place the former in a preservative. They must, however, be fresh when put in the latter, no matter what it may be composed of.

Notes for April

THE poultry keeper's duties are much increased with the arrival of Spring. Whilst all who are anxious to hatch or rear a few chickens are making every arrangement, and April should see definite action taken, for those who wish for Winter-laying breeds should hatch all they can this month or valuable time will be lost, for sitting or heavy breeds take eight months, but the eggs are generally smaller and the early production will prevent their growth and minimize their frame, whilst invariably a moult sets in. Broody hens will now be plentiful at about $2 each, and preference should be given to hens with plenty of fluff and as fat as possible in order that the heat may be maintained during the twenty-one days. A good dusting with "Keating's" or sulphur powder is essential, also a few days before hatching day arrives so as to prevent the growth of lice, which once infecting the young fledglings, will quickly cause them to droop and die.

Breeders should see that all coops are white-washed this month and kept sweet and clean, also be liberal with fresh straw and peat moss litter for the bedding, which should be renewed every week, if not oftener. Ventilation is very important in all coops, and while I advocate a wooden shutter to be used at night, it is well to leave a good space at top, and as the chickens grow the ventilation may be increased.

The open front of all coops should face south except when rain is from that quarter. Do not be in a hurry to feed newly-hached chickens, but keep them warm for twenty-four or even thirty-six hours, during which time they subsist on the pabulum supplied by nature before leaving the shell.

Soft food for a few days, with a supply of grit, also clean water daily, also green food, especially onion tops and dandelion leaves. Chickens should daily progress, and by careful attention their growth can be daily watched. If any are backward in feathering, a little sulphur powder sprinkled in the soft food will soon remedy matters. April is the month to set eggs from the smaller active prolific breeds, which make no pretence at table poultry, but will, if hatched in May, generally lay 225 to 275 eggs per annum if obtained from trap-nested strains.

Strain is an important factor if eggs are the desideratum, and I know of many poultry yards where the owner can tell to an egg how many eggs each hen in his breeding pen has laid, and not only so, but also the number laid by her parents, and it is by this means good laying strains are perfected. In this category we have Anconas, Andalusians, Campines, Hamburghs, Leghorns, Redcaps and Houdans. All will stand confinement and chickens are easy to rear, providing they have exercise, for from start to finish non-sitting breeds must have exercise. By providing dry leaves, chaff, or even road dust, etc., which should have an excellent chicken mixture of small seeds, insects, etc., known as "Chikko," scattered amongst it all day long, the young birds will be busy with the tempting grains they find.

Readers of these notes are warned against indiscriminate purchasing of chickens or day olds without proper enquiry as to their parentage, as from immature or non-productive fowls it is impossible to rear strong, vigorous chickens. "Day olds" can usually be purchased at double the price of eggs, and this plan succeeds admirably, often saving time and vexation, whilst the broody hens take kindly to the tiny travelers if given them at night.

I am pleased to have been of service to readers who have sought information as to reliable breeders names and addresses. It is R. C. G.'s desire that only profitable poultry shall be raised.

Crooked Breasts

ONE of the most frequent deformities is crooked breast, which is due either to want of exercise, and consequently of real tonic vigor, or of forcing the birds to a faster growth than the bony material assimilated can keep pace with. Roosting too early, or on an unsuitable perch, may in an obvious manner depress or bend the soft cartilaginous keel in such cases, and if this immediate cause is kept away a bird liable to crooked breast may be reared straight. But on the other hand, a pheasant roosts early, yet it is never crooked breasted, and even bedding on straw will not protect some chickens fed up fast, with little exercise, from the deformity.

Cockerels and Pullets—Every year the poultryman finds himself with more male birds than he requires. Pullets, of course, are always of value for egg production and find a ready sale, even if they are merely cross-breeds. This is not the case with cockerels, however, and only birds that possess good characteristics should be retained.

Ducklings for Market

IT is not too early to hatch ducklings with a good expectation of profit, especially if those quickly-developing flesh producers, the Aylesburys, are chosen. Ducklings are easy to rear, and since they always fetch good prices in May, a profitable industry can easily be set going. It is possible for quick growing breeds, with due care and attention and proper feeding, to gain on an average the almost incredible amount of eleven ounces a week. When the ducklings are hatched under hens it is best to set two or more hens, testing the eggs on the seventh day, when all the fertile eggs can be placed under one hen and the other given a fresh lot. Ducklings should be fed four or five times a day the first week and after that four times. Boiled vegetables, animal matter or cooked meat should be given once a day in addition to various cereals, such at oatmeal, barley meal and sharps.

Hatching Late

THOUGH the experiment of hatching in the Summer is not always justified by results, and always involves a large risk of failure in case of cold weather coming abnormally early, there are many poultry keepers who find it convenient to go for a few late chickens. It is more than likely that the majority of those who do so are not seriously concerned as to whether the poultry they keep show a profit; but with that we are not seriously concerned just now. However, despite the risks, it is not absolutely a foregone conclusion that a late hatch will be a failure, and one or two hints given below may, if carefully followed, have the effect of reducing that possibility to a minimum. The first points to consider are the things which increase the risk. These put briefly are:

1. Birds hatched in the Spring have the warm weather to face, those born later have warm weather to start with, and in this changeable climate of ours they are apt to have a cold spell to face ere long.

2. The excrtions of the parent birds in the Spring reduce their vitality for further exertions during the Summer months. The first thing to be done, therefore, is to choose varieties which quickly mature and are hardy withal. A strong, healthy cockerel should be mated to two-year-old birds that have brought up a brood of chickens. Then when the little ones appear give them a little more than ordinary care in the matter of protection from a spell or wet or cold weather and the possibilities are that your late hatch will come out all right. Of course, as I have pointed out above, it is also more than possible that they will not.

Food for Chickens

CHICKENS should be managed and fed from the start according to the end for which they are destined, as a method which is perfectly correct for one purpose may be directly opposed to success in another. The "dry system" of feeding has become very common of late years, and chickens undoubtedly thrive well on it, besides which, where a large number is reared, it saves labor. It is admirable when the chicks are to be reared for laying or for stock purposes, but when they are intended for the table and so required to be plump at an early age, a soft diet is more satisfactory. When, as happens in the great majority of cases, all that is desired is to rear a few pullets, while the cockerels are sold for eating, the best results are obtained by a combination of the two methods. Two feeds a day of soft food should be given, one the first thing in the morning and the other about 2:30 p.m., while a good sprinkling of small seeds should be scattered among the litter so as to keep the chicken busy scratching. Small wheat should be given until the birds are big enough to take small oats, which are effective in building up a good strong frame. It should be remembered that where egg production is the main thing in view forcing is a great mistake, but it stands to reason that when the birds are intended for the table the sooner they can be got ready for it the more profit must accrue to the owner.

The booming of "dry chick food" during recent years has drawn attention to the all-grain diet. There is no question that the "dry food" system is a great labor saver, and in these days when the poultry keeper has so many things to attend to in his yard, this means much.

Buckwheat is a popular food as an egg producer in some sections where it is grown extensively. It is somewhat like corn in its fattening properties, and is therefore better for Winter than for Summer feeding.

Barley is a very good food, but has considerable hull, and if not well threshed the short beard at the end sometimes irritates the crop when dry.

A little flaxseed just now has a wonderful effect.

Gardener Must First Learn to Fight the Insects

BEFORE the amateur gardener can hope to grow things like the seed catalogues show he must first learn to fight insects, and before he can do this he must learn all about their daily lives. Dr. Davis, of Purdue University, in a recent address points out that "to understand that the chrysanthemum midge issues about midnight explains why florists must fumigate after midnight; that aphids reproduce so rapidly explains why one must apply controls when the first signs of an outbreak appear; that cutworms come out to feed at night and grasshoppers in the morning tells us why one must apply poison bait in the evening for the former and in the morning for the latter."

Make 'Em HOT!

By MERRILL DENISON

One of the scenes from "Carry On, Sergeant."

Mrs. Lorna McLean Sheard, a clever Toronto girl, who is taking one of the leading feminine parts in the production.

"MAKE 'em HAW——T."

The strange cry commences in a wail like the crescendo anguish of a fire siren, breaks on the aspirant to the guttural snarl of a carnivore defending its food, and ends abruptly.

From galleries, rafters and scaffolding, a dozen obedient suns flame into life. Sunlight pours down on a group of Canadian Highlanders clustered in a fragment of muddy trench. They are waiting to be relieved by the English troops drawn up behind the director's stand.

Another weird cry—"Turn 'ema AWN—N."

A violent rainstorm breaks out from a sprinkler system lurking overhead. Each Highlander meticulously takes a shower-bath. If one finds himself in a dry patch of storm he moves to seek the deluge.

The relief begins. The English troops slog in; the Canadians move out. The cameras grind. The director directs. His assistants assist. The actors act. The onlooker looks on.

'S marvelous.

'S wonderful.

'S movies.

The scene is over.

"KILL 'EM."

The last of the haunting trilogy of movie cries is heard. The suns dim. The rain dwindles.

Inside the magic circle of light and rain it was Ypres, Belgium, 1915. Outside it was Trenton, Ontario—1928.

When the lights went out and the rain ceased it was all Trenton, 1928, in one of the studios of the Canadian International Film Company, where for the past few months the first major Canadian film, "Carry On, Sergeant," has been growing into being under the direction of Captain Bruce Bairnsfather.

The creation of a feature picture is a colossal work.

A moving picture plant is like nothing but Gargantua let loose with a monstrous egg-beater in a three-ring circus.

It is not an affectation for motion picture actresses to wear riding breeches. If they were to wear the fish-tail skirt of mermaids, wings swiped from seraphims, the horns of Mephistopheles, and the head dress of Osiris it would still not be an affectation.

It is impossible to imagine anything connected with the development of a feature picture being an affectation.

In this the movies transcend Nature herself, for you can imagine any number of natural phenomena that might seem affected. In the cosmic disorder of the studio anything may seem reasonable and probable.

When the docile suns are flaming and the cameras clicking barriers of time and space vanish, continents are divided only by a turn of the head, and years mingle and overlap on the fancy of the director.

The director is overlord of the amazing four-dimensional world. If he only wore a long beard you could not help but think of Genesis.

Mounted on a rude dais, he sits in a canvas throne chair above the welter of pictorial action and emotion created at his bidding.

Behind him, like Assyrian palm-bearers on ancient basreliefs, lounge the camera men, ready to crank the scene before them into immortality.

Beside him, queen-like in a similar chair, sits the head camera man, ready to utter the queenly cries already quoted, which call into being suns and rain, spring and water, night and day, and banish them again when they have served the purpose of the director.

On the set assistant directors, actors, supers, property men, carpenters, electricians, secretaries labor to bring reality to the images that lie behind his eyes, and give to them the substance necessary before the camera can be set to work recording.

The eyes of the director are like the waist of an hour glass through which the vastly elaborate preparations must sift before they may fulfill the purpose planned for them.

Compared with those great American studios where ten and more productions are made simultaneously under one roof, the work going on down at Trenton under Bruce Bairnsfather's direction may be very small, but it is big enough to be impressive and, from a Canadian point of view, of vital importance.

It is probably the first sincere attempt in Canada to make motion pictures of high technical proficiency, and it is the first fruitage in this country of those discussions concerning an imperial film industry which occupied the attention of the last Imperial Conference.

"A country without a film industry is like a country without a press," said Mr. W. F. Clarke, the general manager of the Canadian company. "It must depend on strangers to interpret it. Through ignorance and indifference they do it badly.

"If truth or art were alone involved in this misinterpretation, the objection might remain academic, but the motion picture is now recognized as a tremendous weapon of propaganda in international trading.

"To a country like Canada which is seeking to attract settlers from foreign countries and is at the same time one of the leading export countries in the world, it is imperative that pictures of the Canadian scene bear some relation to Canada as it is.

"If the outside world is to have a true knowledge of Canadian conditions we will have to supply it ourselves. No one else will do it for us. At present Canada, to a part of the outside world, may be a land of perpetual Winter where the only transport is by dog teams, and so sparsely settled that order is maintained by a force of mounted police! Summer is of such short duration that no one has ever been able to take a picture of it, and there are no dwellings in the country but those of logs!

A Bairnsfather Film First

"IF you will recall the pictures with a Canadian background you have seen, and imagine what your notion of the country would be from such information, you have what must be an accurate idea of the Canada thousands of Europeans know.

"If they are ever to know any other Canada it will only be through motion pictures made in this country and dominated by a Canadian point of view. By that I mean that financial control must be in Canadian hands.

"That the pictures made in Canada must be able to compete in the world market with pictures made in other countries goes without saying, and there is no reason why they should not. Trenton is two thousand miles nearer New York than Hollywood, and until we have developed native technicians we shall have to depend on American-trained Britishers, of whom there are a great number in the States.

"We have no idea of trying to force the American-made picture out of Canada as has been suggested. The field is wide enough for everyone and good Canadian pictures will be as acceptable in the States as good American pictures are here."

Trenton was chosen because the nucleus of a motion picture plant was already there in the Ontario Motion Picture Bureau's studio. There was a laboratory, developing and printing rooms, storage vaults, and one studio of considerable size. The Government leased the plant to the new company and turned over to it the printing and developing of pictures done theretofore by the bureau.

The old studio was extended, the laboratories remodeled, and elaborate electrical equipment needed for lighting added. A large building on the bay shore near the centre of the town and originally a warehouse was found to be admirably suited to studio purposes. Near it another warehouse serves to house costumes and properties.

Bruce Bairnsfather's picture, "Carry on, Sergeant," was chosen as the first to be made. A number of factors seem to have dictated the choice. The worth of the story itself, its Canadian background, the stupendous success of Bairnsfather's "Better 'Ole," the fact that he was British were all influences.

Although the final test of a picture is its completed showing on the screen, it seemed to me on a visit to Trenton that the choice of Bairnsfather was a most successful one, for he is now directing the picture, casting it and doing much of the designing of sets.

No other director possibly has ever had such an opportunity as this slight, sensitive man whose war cartoons did so much for British morale during the dark days of 1916 and 1917. Not only were "The Fragments" joyous in themselves, but he crystallized and fixed for unnumbered thousands of soldiers a point of view that made the war more endurable.

Captain Bairnsfather in the role of director.

Capt. Bairnsfather depicts "Old Bill" in a new role.

A Creative Commotion

THERE is nothing of the comedian about Bairnsfather. Watching him at work, talking to him, it is hard to associate him with the grand grotesquerie of "Old Bill." One suspects, at length, that Bairnsfather must have been very, very fond of the old fellow, and that he loved him more than he laughed at him.

No trace can be found of the jester one might have expected. On the set he works with an amazing quietness and sureness and impresses one as a man who knows exactly what effects he is working for, down to the hang of a haversack or the tilt of a rifle-barrel.

In the creative commotion that seems rife in the studio he strikes one as the one person who knows in meticulous detail what is going on and what will be going on tomorrow or next week or next month. Surrounding him are technicians trained in their own specialties and with a background of years in motion picture work. Camera men, assistant directors, art designers, make-up men, electricians.

In their own fields these men are all experts. There is about them a brittle skill common to the master craftsmen.

There is Bert Cann, the head camera man, who makes nature do her stuff with his "Make 'em hot," known in most of the big studios in the States. Bert Rothe, the art director, who designed all the sets for Irving Berlin's "Music Box Review," did the decorative work for Century production of "The Miracle," and is known wherever theatre is talked.

Clarence Elmar, assistant director, who has been directing motion pictures for seventeen years and is one of the oldest in the business, and still a young man. Bert Tuey, another assistant director, who has been mid-wife to a million feet of film.

Jack Stricker, the head carpenter, with Famous Players nine and a half years, in command of the workshops where the sets are made and under whose alchemy wood becomes marble, and pressed corn stalks brick. There is Jim Hanley, the head electrician who calls a two-ton transformer outfit "portable," and marvels at the cost of electric power in Ontario—one-seventh of what it is in California.

Al Orenbach, the outside property man, a fantastic quartermaster sergeant who must produce anything from pink elephants to blue mice on a moment's notice. Thurston H. Holmsdale, scenic artist who performs miracles of verisimilitude with paint and brush.

There are sixteen electricians, five carpenters and in all eighty-six people outside the actors.

The strength of the latter varies day by day. It has been as high as 800 when they were shooting the trench scenes out of doors.

Bairnsfather as a Director

THE permanent staff includes Jimmy Savo, well-known comedian. Hugh Buckler, who plays the Sergeant, has been seen in stock in Toronto; Lorna McLean, of Toronto, and Louise Cardi. In all eighty per cent of the artists are British, American trained.

But all these people are human mechanisms at the command of the director. It is Bairnsfather who pours into them creative energy and to whose involved ends all their work contributes.

His position is a unique one. Not only is he the director, but author as well. In addition his artistic abilities make it possible for him to present his ideas of set and costume in the form of skillful drawings instead of words. A picture is usually much more definite than a speech. He is also his own casting director.

Until the picture is completed no one will be able to say definitely how good his story is, but from those portions of the film already made it can be emphatically stated that he is a great director.

In the projection room under the old studio we saw some ten thousand feet of film run off after the day's work on the set was finished. To anyone who watched as we did, the question as to whether pictures can be made in Canada was positively answered in the affirmative.

There is no question that as fine pictures can be made in this country as any place in the world.

The photography was superb, and those qualities of lighting, atmosphere, grouping and composition which go to make a picture a thing of satisfying beauty were present in rich abundance.

All the film we saw was of war stuff. It was different from any war pictures we have ever seen. For the first time we saw soldiers on the screen who behaved like soldiers and to whom heroism was incidental. This is a great relief after watching pictures for years in which all were heroes and to whom soldiering was incidental.

In other words, Bairnsfather as a director has the great artistic gift of restraint, and if our memory of the movies serves us rightly, this almost makes him epochal.

"'Carry On, Sergeant'," he told us in the den where he does much of his planning, "is the story of the ordinary fellow who gets things done. The sort of a man who finishes up. The man to whom the Boss says, 'Jones, I wish you'd see those goods are shipped,' before leaving at three o'clock to play golf. He is neither a hero nor a villain.

"The picture is the story of such an average man when subjected to some cataclysm. I might have chosen an earthquake, a tidal wave, a shipwreck. As it happens my sergeant was caught up in the war.

"Half the picture is laid in Canada, a small part in England and the rest in France. The war scenes are of the early years—'14 and '15—before the elaborate trench systems were developed. The Canadian parts are taken against a background of Canada as it actually is."

Trenton as a Film Centre

"DO you think your location here in Trenton a satisfactory one for establishing a motion picture industry?" we asked.

"It would be hard to find a better one," he replied. "Within a radius of seventy-five miles you can find almost any sort of scenery or location you would ever need.

"Over in Prince Edward County, a few miles to the South, there are those great sand banks where you could take half a dozen 'Beau Gestes.' East and West I have seen country that is identical with that of England. For all practical purposes an ocean washes the walls of the studio.

"Across the river, where we built our trenches, is a stretch of country that I defy anyone to tell from Northern France. And in addition to those features which are reminiscent, we have a short distance to the North a country filled with lakes and of extraordinary beauty which cannot be duplicated anywhere else in the world."

"How about the Winter in Canada?"

"With modern lighting equipment weather means nothing. It is true that we had to call on the Trenton fire brigade to wash away the snowstorm from our trench system, but the greater part of the picture can be taken in the studio.

"A distinct advantage in making pictures in Ontario is low manufacturing cost. Electric power, for instance, which is a considerable item, is about one-seventh of what it is on the other side. In the main, materials are less costly. Wages for supers are less than a third of what they would be in California."

"How about actors? Is there an available supply?"

"New York is the great reservoir of actors and actresses no matter where you may be working. They all gravitate there, and it is no more difficult to bring them to Trenton than to Los Angeles or Chicago or Florida.

"Incidentally, I have been able to secure some wonderful types right here in Trenton—Scotch, English, French-Canadians—men who have lived in the Trent valley all their lives and were probably river men in days gone by. It would be impossible to find such people near any American studio."

"But why," we asked, "should this venture succeed where so many similar ventures in Canada and England have failed?"

"The obvious answer," replied Bairnsfather, "is they were not similar."

"In England the making of motion pictures has always been regarded as an adventure. Until recently the cinema was not taken seriously.

"Here we are engaged in founding an industry. We know that as fine pictures can be made in Canada as any place in the world. We have the experience of the industry in other countries to guide us, and we have gathered a group of men of proven ability around us.

"This group could make pictures in New York or California. There is no reason why they cannot make them in Ontario."

One hopes the Godfather of "Old Bill" is right. If the scenes already taken mean anything, he is right, and if the whole-hearted enthusiasm of the men under him means anything he is doubly right.

Until the picture is completed, the last "Kill 'em!" shouted to the sun tenders, and the last foot cut and spliced, one can only prophesy, for the final and the only important judgment rests with the vast movie public.

In the interim we hazard the conviction that "Carry On, Sergeant" will be a revelation to those who scoff at making motion pictures in Canada.

"Mr. Cook" President U. S.

That Sir Austen Chamberlain or "Mr. Cook" is President of the United States, were among the answers given by children during a recent examination at a public school at Huddleford, England. Among other answers were the following: The kodak is the Bible of the Mohammedans. Who had a wart on his nose—John Brown's baby. Archimedes was a man who looked through a telescope at the Spanish Armada and so set it on fire and said: "I have singed the King of Spain's beard." And he lived in a tub. Who invented the railway engine?—(1) George Washington, (2) Caxton. Who discovered the South Pole?—Robinson Crusoe. Who was the Wizard of the North?—(1) Lloyd George, (2) Ramsay MacDonald, (3) the Great Carmo.

Sacrifice of Humans Ended

The long campaign to combat the barbarous custom of human sacrifice among the Nagas in the unadministered area of Burma is bearing fruit, thirty-four chiefs of the Nago tribes in which the custom is still occasionally observed having promised recently to abandon the practice. The news was conveyed in a report of the Government of Burma regarding the redemption of more than 3,400 slaves in the Hukawng Valley. Less than thirteen per cent of the liberated chose to leave the valley, and the majority of those who remained seemed reluctant to make any serious effort to support themselves, the report said.

"Do I understand," said the young man, "that you absolutely decline to let me marry your daughter?"

"I do," replied her father firmly.

"Sir," said the young man, reaching for his hat, "will you shake hands on parting?"

"Of course," said the father, surprised. "And I am glad to see that you take your disappointment so well."

"Yes," said the young man; "and if you'll allow me, I am going to send you a box of cigars, too. You don't know how near that daughter of yours came to having me hooked."

Plans Writing Book on Murder Trials in Canada

ROBERT L. CALDER, K.C.

WHEN a noted Canadian criminal lawyer takes up the pen to recount the psychological aspects of some fifteen murder trials in which he has played a prominent part, the resultant volume is bound to provide gripping reading for the general public as well as for those whose interest in crime is scientific. Robert L. Calder, K.C., acclaimed by many as the most brilliant member of the Quebec bar and known throughout Canada as a speaker on national policies, threatens to take to scribbling along these lines after twenty-two years of law.

Mr. Calder told the writer recently that he had in mind a book to bear the dramatic title "In Jeopardy," each chapter of which would be a psychological study of a murder trial which held the attention of a wide public during its progress. When it is remembered that Mr. Calder directed the prosecution in the three historic trials of Abbe Adelard Delorme, charged with the murder of his half brother; that it was his skilful work which sent four members of the notorious Bank of Hochelaga hold-up gang to the gallows; and that only last month he acted for George and Doris McDonald in the sensationalal trial which ended with the passing of the death sentence upon the young couple, the dramatic nature of the material available to his hand will be realized.

But, while the lawyer-author has a keen sense of the dramatic, it is not the sensational or sentimental aspects of the supreme crime which he plans to analyze. The psychology of the slayer, of the jurors who pass upon his guilt, of the morbid court patrons who flock like vultures to witness their fellow men passing through the grim ordeal, has always held a fascination for him. He is a discerning student of human nature, as every successful lawyer must needs be, and his adroit understanding of motives and mental processes has given him the victory in many a hard-fought battle.

Nor is he any stranger to the art of writing. At the conclusion of the McDonald trial he turned directly to the composition of an article on capital punishment, the first shot in a battle of words with that doughty opponent, Clarence Darrow, defender of Loeb and Leopold. Less than four years ago Mr. Calder met Mr. Darrow on the public platform in Montreal and so worthily upheld the principle of capital punishment that even the Chicago lawyer accorded him the honors of the day.

Mr. Calder's belief in the necessity for capital punishment is unswerving. His eloquent appeals to juries on behalf of accused slayers have never been marred by maudlin protests against the taking of life by the State. Discussing the issue the other day he pointed out the unsavory reputation which Montreal secured in the eyes of gunmen following the hanging of the bank bandits in 1924.

"Gang crime was flourishing in Montreal when those men went to trial," he remarked. "Armed hold-ups were of daily occurrence. But with the execution of that quartette the crime wave was halted in its course. Until recently Montreal has been free of the gunman. Last week a man wanted in that city for an armed robbery was arrested in the United States. 'Try me for anything you like here,' he declared in abject terror, 'but don't send me back to Montreal!' "

"To my mind it is the waiting justice of the rope which has preserved Canada from the reign of terror to which so many large American cities are subject," Mr. Calder declared.

Descended from a Nova Scotia family of Scotch origin, Robert Calder was born at Sherbrooke, Quebec. He was educated at St. Mary's College, Laval University, the Nova Scotia Normal School and McGill University, and was called to the bar in 1906. He was created a "K.C." five years ago.

Mr. Calder has defended many accused killers, in the great majority of cases receiving no fee for his services, but acting rather on his expressed conviction that—"A lawyer called in at the last moment is like a doctor called to the bedside of a dying patient. Professional etiquette, demands that he do all in his power for the person 'in jeopardy'."

A striking recognition of Mr. Calder's legal ability came two years ago when he was retained as counsel by the Federal Commission which investigated the affairs of the Customs administration.

But Mr. Calder's active brain by no means confines itself to the realms of law, intriguing as these may be. He has played his part as soldier, as public speaker and as politician. The worst years of the war found him in the trenches with that famous battalion from French Canada, the 22nd. He has spoken throughout Canada on matters of national import, his theories being always broad and tolerant, though with no sacrifice of that forceful individuality which is his strongest characteristic.

First Great Woman Architect

Miss Elizabeth Scott and her prize-winning model for the new Shakespeare Memorial Theatre.

WOMAN seems to be distinctly on the ascendant all along the line just now. It is a significant feature of modern literature that during the past three years the most talked-of novels have been written by women. The Channel woman got the better of Father Neptune no fewer than three times within a week last Autumn, and in spite of the mid-Atlantic failure of the Beauty Flier, more women are preparing to fly the Atlantic.

For all that, the recent announcement that a woman was the winner in an important competition in architecture, came as a big surprise. Miss Elizabeth Scott was the only woman who took part in a competition open to the architects of Great Britain, Canada and the United States for a design for the new Shakespeare Memorial Theatre at Stratford-on-Avon, to replace the one destroyed by fire in 1926; and she beat seventy-five men competitors. The success of men in the world of architecture all through the centuries makes this tribute to the genius of Miss Scott all the more welcome and has excited exceptional public interest.

The unknown architect on whose design has fallen the unanimous choice of the Anglo-American assessors, is a young Englishwoman, only twenty-eight years old, daughter of a Bournemouth doctor. Miss Scott's success has a specially romantic and artistic interest because of her family connections. Architecture is in her blood. She is a great-niece of Sir George Gilbert-Scott, R.A., the well known Victorian architect, and also of Sir George Bodley, R.A., an equally esteemed architect of that period. She is a second cousin of Sir Giles Scott, who won in his early days an open competition for a design for the great Liverpool Cathedral, still in process of building. Curiously enough, Miss Scott has never met this cousin of hers.

Follows Uncles' Footsteps

"IT wasn't until I was twenty-one, said Miss Scott in a recent interview, "that I even began to think of adopting architecture as a career. At school, literature was my great subject, and it was only when I came to the point of having to decide definitely what I was going to do for a living that I thought I would see whether I could follow in my uncles' footsteps—despite the prejudice which exists against the few women architects there are.

"I studied for five years at the Architectural Association, trying my hand at every type of design, and eventually took my degree. Following that, I have gained experience in three architect's offices, and worked on layout plans for Welwyn Garden City, interior decoration and garden layouts.

"During all this time I have spent nearly all my spare hours in practicing at more ambitious designs.

"I spent two months creating the building of the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre in my mind—I used to go for long tramps in the country, the hillier the better—and then worked it out on paper in about six weeks."

Miss Scott looks what she is—a typical, outdoor-loving, sensible Englishwoman—but it is not only her identity that has intrigued the public interest; the winning design itself represents quite a new departure in theatre architecture. To the ordinary mind, as someone put it, "it takes a bit of getting used to." Some people cannot make head or tail of it—and frankly say so. Others say it looks like nothing on earth—unless it be a Russian fortress!

But Bernard Shaw, England's greatest critic, says that not only was Miss Scott's design the best one submitted, it was the only possible one; and he gives it unqualified praise.

By the experts, there has not been a word of criticism. The assessors are all men of note—E. Guy Dawber (with an inch or two of architectural degrees!); Raymond Hood, of New York, and Robert Atkinson, director of the Education Architectural Association, and among the final six architects (six of whom were Americans) their choice fell unanimously on Miss Scott.

In their view, her design was not only the most suitable one for a theatre, but it was held to reveal:

"Great ability and power of composition.

"Largeness and simplicity of handling unequaled by any other design.

"Suitability for the site on the Avon banks and picturesqueness in silhouette and modeling.

"Conformity with the traditions of Stratford."

Miss Scott herself says:

"The main theory to which I have sought to give expression in the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre is that buildings should not conceal the functions which they exist to fulfil. In my ideal city it is possible to read the buildings as you pass them in the street."

Speaking in more detail of her design, she said:

"The first aim in designing a building, whatever its nature, should be to express its functions clearly in the plan and elevations.

In my design I have aimed at creating an atmosphere of space and ease, in addition to the ordinary structural necessities; there will be ample foyers, which will help in impressing the public that they have come to a place of ease and comfort, where they can for a time forget the outside world.

"The new theatre is to stand on a free open site which can be seen for a great distance in every direction, especially from across the river."

To have won an important competition for the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre is a very great matter. The United States has subscribed a million dollars towards this theatre and Stratford may easily become something in the nature of a dramatic college for the English-speaking world.

Edmonton Lady Wins Crusaders' Honor at Festival

MRS. EMILY MURPHY
Known to many readers as "Janey Canuck."

TO an Edmonton woman, Mrs. Emily Murphy (Janey Canuck), has fallen the signal honor of being the first person in the Empire to receive the decoration for merit from the Most Noble Order of Crusaders, such having been bestowed upon her at the recent grand festival of the Crusaders in Edmonton.

It was the first decoration to be awarded by the order since it was established in Great Britain in 1921.

As the order is composed entirely of men the honor is of deep significance, and bears eloquent witness to the esteem in which Mrs. Murphy is held by an order of representative men who have dedicated themselves to the service of mankind, and of the Empire.

One of Canada's foremost authors and educationalists, Mrs. Murphy has the distinction of being entitled to wear the cross of the first crusade as well as that of the tenth.

She was decorated by King George in 1915, a Lady of Grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

Speaking of Mrs. Murphy's splendid record of Empire service, Grand Master Waistell of the Crusaders said: "Mrs. Murphy has done untold good for the Empire and for the Crusaders in Canada. Her unswerving devotion to duty and to the doctrine of purity and honor, makes us proud indeed to call her 'Brother Murphy'."

The decoration bestowed upon Mrs. Murphy by the Most Noble Order of Crusaders is the banner of St. George, a white moire ribbon bearing the symbol of the scarlet cross. The Crusader's badge, a sheathed sword upon which are imposed the scarlet and blue chevrons of service, is fashioned of gold, and superimposed upon it are the words, "Sic Deus Vult" (It is the Will of God). Hanging from a bar is the inscription: "For Merit, 1927, Emily F. Murphy."

Mrs. Murphy, who is a native of Cookstown, Ontario, was educated at Bishop Strachan School in Toronto. She has long been identified with all the movements for progress and better citizenship throughout the Dominion, and is an author of note.

She was a member of the Imperial Press Conference in 1920; is a member of the general committee of the Canadian League of Nations Society, vice-president of the Canadian Committee on Social Hygiene, past president and historian of the Canadian Women's Press Club, president of the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada, and affiliated with many other societies of national importance.

In 1916 Mrs. Murphy was appointed a police magistrate, also a judge of the juvenile court in and for the Province of Alberta, which position she still holds.

Because of her remarkable insight into human nature, her personal magnetism, compassionate tolerance and understanding, Mrs. Murphy holds an enviable position today upon the Alberta bench. Her recent decoration is a tribute such as few women are privileged to receive during their lifetime, placing her on a plane of Empire service.

Pioneered in Church Work in the City of Calgary

MRS. D. G. McQUEEN

HERE is a picture of a minister's wife who has kept house on the same corner for thirty-seven years.

Moving day has no horrors for Mrs. D. G. McQueen, wife of the veteran pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Edmonton, who, last Summer, celebrated the fortieth anniversary of his arrival to take charge of the kirk in Edmonton.

Dr. D. G. McQueen, whom all Edmonton honored at a banquet in the Macdonald Hotel on his anniversary, six hundred guests sitting down to the banquet and all colors, creeds, religions and political stripes co-mingling, was presented with a gold-headed cane by members of the Northern Alberta Pioneers and Old Timers' Association. Mrs. McQueen was presented with a purse of gold. And Dr. and Mrs. McQueen together received from their congregation an illuminated address and greetings.

Mrs. McQueen still keeps house in the same corner of the city to which she came in the days when there were no streets and the tall prairie grass waved at her doorstep.

She has seen the winds and suns of many Summers travel across the school yard on the edge of which stood the first Presbyterian manse. The fine new school building which replaces the old frame one of long ago is a monument today to the progress that has taken place on that street corner in thirty-seven years.

From the little frame manse, to a bigger house, still standing, Dr. McQueen's household moved when their family outgrew the original manse.

Later, on the site of the original church, the fine red brick manse which stands today was built. And the McQueen dining table today stands where the old time pulpit stood.

So all the moving that has ever been entailed has been around the corner.

Why Golfers Go Mad

Father was having a round of golf with a friend, and little Joan came along with mother to look on.

After watching her daddy on the green for some time, Joan asked:

"Mustn't the ball go into that little hole, mummy?"

Canadian Tenor Wins Place in National Theatre, Paris

BACHELOR of Arts, law student and pianist is a movie-theatre were the hurdles which the twenty-six-year-old tenor, Albert Cornellier, of Montreal, negotiated before arriving at the Opera-Comique, Paris, where he made his debut in "Pagliacci" just a year ago.

Somehow or other it seems as if the French National Theatre has always had a Canadian in the cast, the work of Pauline Donalda and Sarah Fischer being so fresh in the public mind. But this is the first time for quite a period that the masculine element has predominated.

Albert Cornellier followed up his work in "Pagliacci" by appearing in "La Tosca" and "Louise." With these for a foundation he then essayed "Mignon," the comic opera of Ambrose Thomas which was introduced by de Leuven before the war of 1870, and "The Barber of Seville," by Rossini, which had its opening night as far back as 1789 in the old Hotel Feydeau under the direction of Cherubini and de Viotti.

Recently the young Montreal tenor has been appearing in more modern compositions such as Claude Debussy's "Peleas and Melisande," in which he assumed the role of Peleas. He now hopes to create a success in Messager's "Fortunio," for which his physique suits him admirably.

Seven years ago Cornellier graduated from the University of Montreal and then proceeded to study law, which he found to be as uncongenial as it was unremunerative. Being an expert pianist he managed to land a job at the Strand Theatre, Montreal, which he held until he had saved enough money to pay his expenses to Paris.

With two addresses in his notebook, the Conservatory of Paris and an adjoining hotel, he started out to make both ends meet. Luckily he had arrived just before the examinations for foreign students seeking admission to the Conservatoire de Paris. At the time there were sixty applicants. As only two are admitted annually he was none too sanguine.

The examiners, however, were not only surprised at his versatility but also at the extent to which his musical sense had been developed. The result was never in doubt.

At the end of his first year, or in 1923 to be exact, young Cornellier won the "medaille de solfege et de vocalises," or in other words he won the medal for the way in which he took advantage of his lessons and his singing without naming the notes or pronouncing the words. M. Albert Carre and M. Leon David were responsible for this. In his final, or fourth year, he won the Premier Prix of the Opera Comique.

Albert Cornellier has now been regularly engaged by Messrs. Masson and Rico, the directors of the French National Theatre.

Singularly enough his hobby is the same as Caruso's. But he modestly declined to make a sketch of himself to illustrate this copy.

Although many declare that the new fad in Paris of a sealing-wax language is only the ancient "language of flowers," and the old "postage stamp message" ideas in a new dress, the craze is becoming popular, and society women are taking it up. The new fad says that different colors of sealing wax stand for different messages. Should you receive a letter with grey sealing wax, you must remember that grey is the accepted color of simple friendship. White sealing wax is used on wedding announcements, red on business letters, chestnut on dinner invitations, violet on messages of condolence, while light red is reserved for lovers, and yellow for those whose affections are not reciprocated.

Canadian Intellectual Appointed to Post In University

JEAN BRUCHESI

THE youngest intellectual in the Canadian colony in Paris in the person of Jean Bruchesi has just been appointed Professor of General and Political History at the University of Montreal.

Jean appeared on the Paris horizon in July, 1923, as an attache wih Senator Beaubien's mission and immediately made his personality felt by digging up the various members of it to early-morning Mass. Happily he was so nice about it he escaped the assaults which threatened at the moment.

What few people know is that the first Bruchesi came to Canada in 1760 as an officer in the English army. What everybody knows is that Jean's uncle is the Archbishop of Montreal. His great grandfather on his mother's side was M. Leblanc, a sheriff of Montreal who was imprisoned in 1839 as a result of the rebellion. Jean is more peaceful but at the same time more effective when he is in opposition.

After securing his B.A. with honors he attended the law school of the University of Montreal, graduating with the same success and was admitted to the bar in July, 1924.

Because of his fluency in the English language and his keen understanding of the point of view of those of the students in Paris from other Provinces than Quebec he built up a Dominion spirit among them which made their reunions in the Rue de Chevreuse very harmonious and very enjoyable.

It is safe to assume that if given the chance in his new sphere of endeavor he will try to bring about a closer rapprochement between the Canadian universities, thus following in the footsteps of Professor Edward Montpetit, Dean Chartier and others of that small group of Quebec intellectuals who are as much as home in English as in French literature and history.

Mrs. Brown: We are going to the Isle of Wight, and what do you think my maid says? She says the climate there is not "embracing" enough. Mrs. Jones: Ah, I see, you should try her with the Isle of Man.

The difference between an alarm clock and a hen is that when you set a hen she sits there, but when you set an alarm clock it goes off.

Jack: Did Perkins die a natural death? Joe: Oh, yes, he was run over by a motor car.

Lad's Bench Aspirations Fooled Sir Robert

THINGS aren't always as they seem to be. Here's a story about Sir Robert Borden that illustrates the point.

When he was Prime Minister at Ottawa it was impossible for Sir Robert to take many very extended vacations, but to get away from the intense strain of his office it was his habit to spend as many week-ends as possible at the various holiday resorts near the city.

One of his favorite visiting places was Caledonia Springs, a little town in Prescott County, which is more than locally famous for its health-giving waters.

Here, on one of his visits, the Prime Minister noticed that one of the water-carrier boys was much more alert and willing than the others. Always a lover of boyhood and children in general, Sir Robert took the opportunity to engage the lad in conversation and was delighted with his readiness and straight-forward way of talking. He inquired, of the boy, what he meant to be when he grew up.

"Oh," answered the lad, "I am going to work hard, sir, for I want to go on the Bench."

More than amazed at this answer, Sir Robert, himself a lawyer of renown, congratulated the water-carrier on his most laudable ambition and encouraged him to work hard to accomplish it.

More than that, the Prime Minister, when he got back to Ottawa, commenced to tell all his friends of the occurrence as a remarkable example of youthful ambition.

The story made a great impression until he told it to a friend who knew something of hotel life. He laughed.

"What your prodigy meant," he informed Sir Robert, "is that he wanted to be an occupant of the bell-boys' bench in the hotel. His highest ambition was to be a bell-hop."

The Honorable Sir Robert Borden didn't tell that story any more, and the story-teller doesn't say whether he ever went back to Caledonia Springs to find out whether the boy was "on the Bench" or not.

Nellie McClung Had No Style in Eyes of Villager

MRS. NELLIE McCLUNG, well-known Calgary writer and former member of the Alberta Legislature, tells the following story on herself.

Several years ago she attended an affair at Government House in company with other Alberta women of prominence. There were also present a number of women from rural districts, who were attending a convention at the university.

"We were all dressed up in our Sunday best, white gloves and everything," relates Mrs. McClung, "and, personally, I felt rather grand.

"Then one woman came over to me and explained that she was sorry she had to leave early. 'But when I get home,' she said, 'I'll surely have something to tell my neighbors. We've wondered so often what a real writer looked like. But I'll be able to tell them I met Nellie McClung and there's certainly no style about her'!"

"So Robert married a social nobody; and just think, his ancestors came across in the Mayflower." "That's all right; her folks came across with $150,000."

Heard on the bus: "You know, dear, it's a funny thing, but whenever father comes home and catches Alf calling on me, my love flies out of the window!"

Extensions of the port of Algiers, Algeria, will add 284 to the present 222 acres

Location of Trousers' Patches Attested Man's Worth

AN amusing after-dinner story was told recently by the British Minister of Labor, Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland. It concerned an old gentleman who, accompanied by a friend, came to a certain suburban labor exchange to try to engage a gardener.

As it happened, there were two men waiting, and both paraded before him. One of them was a particularly good-looking fellow, while the other was nothing of the sort. But after walking carefully round them, and regarding them both intently, the old gentleman engaged the latter. When they had left the friend expressed surprise at the selection, and asked if the man had ever worked for him before.

"No," was the reply. "As a matter of fact, I have never seen either of them before."

"Then why did you choose that one?" enquired the friend; "the other one had a much better face."

"Face!" echoed the old gentleman contemptuously. "Let me tell you something. When you choose a gardener, choose him by his breeches. If they are patched on the knees, you want him; if they are patched on the seat, you don't"

And Why Not

"I have come to ask you if you will subscribe to this deserving charity."

"Certainly. I will give you a cheque now. Here you are."

"You have forgotten to sign it."

"I know—I want to remain anonymous."

IN THE RADIO WORLD

Activities of Radio Enthusiasts in Canada, the United States and Foreign Lands

BROADCAST TODAY BY GOLD STRAND

Interesting Programme Offered This Afternoon Over N.B.C. Pacific Coast Network

Soprano, tenor and saxophone solos will vary the programme of orchestral music by the Gold Strand Group broadcast from 1 to 2 p.m. today over the stations of the N.B.C. Pacific Coast network.

The soloists for this afternoon's broadcast are Barbara Blanchard, soprano; Gwynn Jones, tenor, and Walter Beban, saxophonist. The vocalists will sing together "Roses of Remembrance," by Curtis, and Gershwin's "Nighty Night." Miss Blanchard's solos include "Old Carolina," by Cooke, while one of the tenor numbers will be "None But the Lonely Heart," by Tschaikowsky.

The overture from Johann Strauss's operetta, "Die Fledermaus," will be played by the Gold Strand Orchestra during the hour. The first movement of Mendelssohn's Concerto in D, for piano and orchestra, and a selection from "Hit the Deck," by Youmans, are two contrasting numbers that indicate the scope of the programme. Confrey's "Dizzy Fingers," in a special woodwind ensemble arrangement, will be another feature of the broadcast.

Music by some of the best known composers in musical history will be heard this afternoon from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Beethoven, Tschaikowsky, Saint-Saens, Brahms and Rubinstein are represented in the orchestral and vocal selections to be played and sung.

OPENING NUMBER

The "Euryanthe" overture, from von Weber's opera of that name, will be played by the National Concert Orchestra as the opening number. This overture is considered the finest bit of music in the opera, and is the only part of the entire opera that is well known today. The melodic strains of "By the Brooklet," from Beethoven's Symphony No. 6 (Pastoral Symphony) suggest the beauty and calm of green carpeted pastures and soft rippling waters.

Easton Kent, tenor, will sing two groups of songs, the first made up of two German lied, Brahms' "Die Mainacht," and the "Derborgen Helt" of H. Wolf. The Brahms number is one of a group in which the great German master strove to depict the loveliness of landscapes in terms of music. The old Welsh song, "All Through the Night," and Charles Gilbert Spross' "Let All My Life Be Music," are included in the second group.

The Arion Trio will play Rasbach's delightful setting of Joyce Kilmer's poem, "Trees," the most popular of the various melodies which have been written for this inspiring verse. Kreisler's gay "Caprice Viennois," and Carrie Jacobs Bond's melodious song, "Just a'Wearyin' For You," will also be played by the trio.

RUSSIAN SYMPHONY

Two movements of Tschaikowsky's Symphony No. 6 will be played by the National Concert Orchestra—the expressive, mournful first movement, in which the Russian composer has set to music the longing and sufferings of his people, and the colorful Allegro con Grazia. Rubinstein's "Valse Caprice" will conclude the concert.

"Scenes Pittoresques," one of six orchestral suites of the French composer, Massenet, will be played by the Standard Symphony Orchestra during its one-hour programme tonight, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. There are four movements, the March, Air de Ballet, Angelus, and Fete Boheme, each distinctive, and presenting four different moods to the listener. Nathan Abas is violin soloist and conductor of the orchestra.

Sir Edward Elgar's march, designated by the stately title of "Pomp and Circumstance," will open the programme. This is a spirited composition, stately in form, but written strictly in march rhythm.

IN LIGHTER MOOD

Then follows the expressive "Polonaise in E Major," by Liszt, and Percy Grainger's delightful, whimsical "Londonderry Air." "Serenade," by Saint-Saens, will be played next, and "Scenes Pittoresque," the seldom heard Massenet number, will conclude the orchestral selections. Radio listeners will be offered the second of the newly inaugurated Atwater Kent programmes broadcast from 9 to 9:30 o'clock. The Atwater Kent Concert Orchestra, under the direction of Genevra Waters Baker, will open the programme with Greig's "Wedding Day at Troldhaugen," a composition representative of the great Norwegian composer's individuality and intense nationalism. As the second selection of the programme, the orchestra will play the famous and beloved "Blue Danube Waltz" of Johann Strauss, known the world over as "the waltz king." This waltz is, perhaps, his best known work, and is outstanding in its charm, finish, and true artistic value. Selections from Bizet's "Carmen," his colorful opera of love and hate, will recall picturesque gypsy scenes, Spanish settings and a drama of elemental human passions moving relentlessly and emotionally to a tragic conclusion. The "Prelude," "Aragonaise," "Intermezzo," "The Dragoons of Alcala" and "The Toreadors" will be played.

The programme is brought to a conclusion with the "Serenade d'Amour," by Von Blon.

Pacific Coast Network

Programme for the Week

SUNDAY—1 to 2 p.m.: Gold Strand Group presents a varied programme of orchestral music with solos and instrumental selections. 3 to 4:30, Sunday afternoon concert, featuring music by well-known composers; Arion Trio and solos. 4:30 to 5, Great Moments in History. 6:30 to 7:30, Standard Symphony Hour, featuring orchestra numbers by French composers. 9 to 9:30, Atwater Kent presents a half hour of classical music.

MONDAY—8 to 9 p.m.: Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists playing Spring songs and popular hits from operas. 9 to 9:30, The Rounders in popular dance music. 9:30 to 10, "Fisk Time-to-Retire," featuring vocal duets and orchestra pieces. 10 to 11, "Broadways and Boulevards," presenting an hour of appealing music.

TUESDAY—6:30 to 7 p.m.: "Memory Lane." 8 to 8:30, Eveready Salon Orchestra playing light classical music and Spanish, Russian and Indian melodies. 8:30 to 9, Don Amalzo, featuring violin and orchestra selections. 10 to 11, N.B.C. Dance Orchestra in latest dance hits.

WEDNESDAY—6:30 to 7 p.m.: "Musical Fruit Cocktail," presents the Damonte Novelty Trio; orchestra, piano and vocal selections. 8 to 8:30, "Jack and Ethyl, the Motor Mates." 8:30 to 9, Royal Ambassadors in favorite musical comedies. 9 to 9:30, The Spokane Braves presenting orchestra and vocal numbers. 10 to 11, N.B.C. Dance Orchestra programme will be broadcast over Stations KGW and KFI.

THURSDAY—8 to 9 p.m.: Calpet Hour, featuring Margaret O'Dea, contralto; Harold Spaulding, tenor; Barbara Blanchard, soprano, and James Isherwood, baritone. 9 to 9:30, Dodge Brothers' Presentation, featuring popular music. 9:30 to 10, "Moon Magic," presenting Arion Trio; vocal and soprano selections. 10 to 11, N.B.C. Dance Orchestra.

FRIDAY—8 to 9 p.m.: Wrigley Review in a varied musical programme. 9 to 9:30, White Rock Concert, featuring the new Collegiate Quartette. 9:30 to 10, Retold Tales. 10 to 10:30, N.B.C. Dance Orchestra Programme will be heard over KGW and KFI.

SATURDAY—8 to 9 p.m.: R.C.A. Hour presents an hour of classical music. 9 to 10, Philco Hour, introducing new features. 10 to 12, The Trocaderans in popular jazz numbers.

HISTORIC GRAVE IN STATE OF NEGLECT

BOMBAY, March 30.—During a visit to Rangoon, Sir Ebrahim Jaffer's attention was invited to the pitiable condition of the grave of the last of the Mogul Emperors of Delhi, Bahadur Shah, who, it will be remembered, was taken to Rangoon as a political prisoner, after the mutiny.

The Emperor died in Rangoon in 1863, and was buried in the compound of the bungalow of Captain Davies, who was then in charge of the prisoner. Since then the property has changed hands, and the present owner, Mrs. Dawson, claims the site of the grave as her own. Mrs. Dawson recently applied for an injunction against the descendants of the Emperor and Mussalmans to prevent them from visiting the grave and offering prayers.

INJUNCTION GRANTED

The High Court, however, allowed the injunction against the Mussalmans, but permitted the descendants to worship at the grave.

It is understood that an appeal is being filed.

Sir Ebrahim Jaffer has now taken up the matter and intends to appeal to the Viceroy and to invite His Excellency's sympathy.

Sir Ebrahim also intends to invite the attention of the Government to the need for the proper maintenance of the descendants of the deceased Emperor.

Mussalmans all over the world are interested in this question, and it is hoped that it will be satisfactorily solved, either by bringing the grave under the Monuments Act, or by purchasing the site under the Land Acquisition Act.

BEAUTY SUIT STIRS CAFES

Following the recent threat of suit for damages by a woman in Paris against a restaurant proprietor because the lighting in his establishment made her look much older and plainer than she really was, managements of eating places in Europe are looking to their lighting. The woman, who was in the habit of going to smart dinner resorts every night, was so enraged that she engaged an attorney, but it was found that she had no recourse by law, and the suit never came before the courts. The report of the affair dealt the restaurant keeper a severe blow, however, and many beautiful women refused to patronize him. News of the affair has caused proprietors of other fashionable cafes and dining-rooms to call in beauty specialists for advice regarding their lighting schemes.

COUPON NOT NEWSPAPER

"When is a newspaper not a newspaper?" This was the question before the police court of Dumbarton, Scotland, recently, when young Thomas Markey pleaded not guilty to circulating, contrary to law, a series of betting coupons known as "The West Lothian Sporting News." The coupon, it was testified, consisted of a double sheet containing news items on the front page and a football coupon on the back page. The prosecution held that the sheet contained forty-seven per cent news and fifty-three per cent of coupon relating to betting. The defence held that the "coupon" was a newspaper and contained only a football competition like other newspapers. The court decided that the sheet was not a newspaper, and found Markey guilty.

SAYS DIAMONDS WILL BURN

When heated sufficiently in air diamonds will burn, according to a prominent European geologist. He declared recently that they will not be affected unless 800 degrees Centigrade is reached, but added that such a temperature is possible in some extensive conflagrations. An eminent diamond expert agrees in this saying, that if diamonds are exposed to fire in contact with air and great heat, they will be destroyed. "Diamonds," he said, "if heated and placed in oxygen, will be entirely consumed. They are not likely to be cracked by heat, but the surface will gradually be eaten away, and if exposed long enough, will be entirely consumed. I have seen thousands of diamonds in a single fire, some of which lost half to three-quarters of their weight, and some were entirely consumed."

Helpful Hints to Aid in Securing Ideal Reception

SECRETS of success in obtaining ideal reception are outlined in a booklet issued by the British Broadcasting Company, which contends that "the more efficient the aerial the cheaper and easier it is to maintain." Use antenna wire of high conductivity is another suggestion; it is important that the right kind of tube be used in each socket, especially in the last stage, where a power tube should be employed. Furthermore, it is important that adequate high voltage be applied to the power tube. It is pointed out that loud-speakers can be no better than the capabilities of the set. If a loudspaker is used some distance from the set, precautions should be taken to prevent distortion through capacity effects and leakage.

CNRV

Special Good Friday music has been arranged over CNRV for the regular studio programme next Friday evening. The choir of the First United Church, Vancouver, winners of the British Columbia Musical Festival, will broadcast the sacred cantata, "The Message From the Cross," which has been written by Mr. Will MacFarlane. It is a peculiarly fitting programme for the occasion, and the cantata contains many well-known sacred numbers. The solo tenor work will be handled by Mr. Bert Till, while baritone parts are to be sung by Mr. Gordon Keatley.

Mrs. Jones was one day accosted by a beggar whose healthy appearance startled even her into doubt of the need of charity in this case.

"Why!" she exclaimed, "you look well able to work."

"Yes," replied the beggar, "but I have been deaf and dumb for seven years."

"Poor man! What an affliction," said Mrs. Jones, as she handed him a dime.

On returning home she related the instance, and remarked:

"What a dreadful thing it is to be deprived of such faculties!"

"But how," asked her daughter, "did you know the man was deaf and dumb?"

"Why?" replied Mrs. Jones innocently, "he told me so!"

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Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria (475.9m)—11 a.m., The morning service of the Metropolitan United Church. 7:26 p.m., Time signal by Wilkerson, Jeweler; West Coast Information Service. 7:30, Evening service of the Metropolitan United Church.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—1-2 p.m., 3-5, 6:30-7:30, 9-9:30.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (240.7m)—9:45-10:45 a.m., Bible class, Prof. Linsley. 11 a.m.-12 noon, Tenth Avenue Baptist Church services. 1:30-2:30 p.m., KTAB Symphonic hour. 7-7:45, Vesper services, 7:45-9, Tenth Avenue Baptist Church services.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (117.5m)—1-2 p.m., N.B.C. programme, 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 5-5:30, Concert orchestra. 5:30-6:30, Organ recital. 6:30-7:30, N.B.C. programme. 9-9:30, N.B.C. programme.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (870.2m)—10:30-11 a.m., Children's Sunday School programme. 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Central M.E. Church services. 1-2, N.B.C. programme. 2-3, An hour of happiness. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 5-6:30, Programme by Bailey's, Inc. 6:30-7:30, N.B.C. programme. 7:30-9, Church of the Truth. 9-10, International Bible Students.

KNX, Los Angeles (356.9m)—10-11 a.m., First Presbyterian Church. 2-4 p.m., All Souls' Church. 6-6:30, Talk by Ernest Holmes. 6:30-7, First Unitarian Church. 7-8, First Presbyterian Church. 9-9, Circle Theatre Concert Orchestra; organ recital. 9-10, Calmon Luboviski, violinist; Claire Mallonino, pianist.

KGA, Spokane, Wash. (260.7m)—11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church. 12:30-1, Musical programme. 1-1:30, Talk on Psychology. 7:30-9, First Presbyterian Church.

KPLA, Los Angeles (288.3m)—7-10 p.m., Romola Theatre Orchestra.

KPO, San Francisco (422.3m)—9:45 a.m., Nonsectarian and undenominational church services 1-3 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3:45-4:30, Coast Leagsue baseball game. 6:30-7:30, N.B.C. programme. 7:30-8:30, Recital by Uda Waldrop, organist. 8:30-9, Rudy Seiger and the Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra. 9-9:30, N.B.C. programme.

KHJ, Los Angeles (399.8m)—9:30-10:30 a.m., Concert hour. 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., First M.E. Church. 12:30-1, Half hour of late recordings. 1-2, The Viennese Quintette. 4-5, Flamingo Sextette; Norma Novello, soprano. 5-6, The Sunset Quartette. 6-9:15, Nightly Doings. 6:15-0:45, Orthophonic and Knabe Ampico programme. 6:45-7, World-wide news. 7-8, First M.E. Church. 8-9, Leonardo Brill Concert Trio. 9-10, KHJ Concert Ensemble and Altha Montague Elliott, contralto.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (348.6m)—9-9:55 a.m., Sacred music. 9:55-10:55, Vocal and instrumental solos. 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., First M.E. Church. 6-6:10, Studio programme. 6:10-7:10, Vocal and instrumental solos. 7:15-7:30, Organ recital. 7:30-9, First M. E. Church. 9-10, Trio under the direction of Kola Levienne.

KYA, San Francisco (361.2m)—10-11 a.m., Easter breakfast. 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Central Methodist Church services. 9-6:30, Talk, Dr. Frederick W Clampett. 7:30-9, Central Methodist Church services.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—9:45-10:50 a.m., I.B.S.A. morning service. 12:15-12:45 p.m., Organ recital. 12:45-1, Piano prelude; choral singers. 1-1:45, Bible questions and answers. 1:45-2, Bible discourse. 2-2:15, Violin solo; choral singers. 7:30, Evening programme. 8:30-8:30, Vocal solos. 8:30-9, Bible dialogue, "The Rich Man in Hell."

KFRC, San Francisco (454.3m)—10 a.m., 12 noon, Home Sweet Home concert. 12 noon-1:15 p.m., Services and sermon from the Paulist Fathers' Old St. Mary's Church. 1:15-3:15, S. & W. recital. 3:15-4:15, Mac and his Clans and Walter Krausgrill. 4:15-5, Art Fadden at the Steinway. 5-6, Organ recital. 6-6:30, Talk, Rabbi Louis I. Newman. 6:30-7:30, Hotel Mark Hopkins Concert Orchestra. 7:30-8:30, Williams Oil-o-matic Concert Orchestra. 8:30-9, Song recital. 9-10, Roof Garden Orchestra. 10-11, KFRC Dance Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Balconades Orchestra.

KTBI, Los Angeles (275.1m)—10:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Church of the Open Door. 3-4, Jewish Radio hour. 6-7, Radio vesper service. 7:15-9:15, Church of the Open Door. 9:15-10, Singing of old hymns.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (241.8m)—9:30-10 a.m., Organ recital. 10-11, Angeles Abbey programme. 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Church services. 12:30-1:30, Musical programme. 1:30-2:30, Organ recital. 2:30-3:10, Long Beach Municipal Band. 3:10-3:20, Announcements. 3:20-4, Long Beach Municipal Band. 4-4:30, Studio programme. 4:30-6, Pigely Wigely Concert Orchestra. 6-7, Pacific Coast Club Orchestra. 7-7:45, Ladies' Mandolin Orchestra. 7:45-9, First Church of Christ, Scientist. 9 p.m.-1 a.m., Pigely Wigely All Star Nite.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—11 a.m., First Baptist Church service. 1-2 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3-4, N.B.C. programme. 4, Vesper service. 7:35-9, First Baptist Church service. 9-9:30, N.B.C. programme.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m)—10-11 a.m., Bethel Temple programme. 11 a.m.-12:20 p.m., Plymouth Congregational Church. 12:20-1, West Coast Theatres organ. 1-2, N.B.C. programme. 2-3, Everson Tabernacle programme. 5-6:30, Totem Mixed Quartette. 6:30-7:30, N.B.C. programme. 7:30-8, Solos and duets. 9-9, First Church of Christ, Scientist. 9-10, Totem Broadcasters Salon Orchestra. 10-11, Tenor solo; Totem Orchestra; Totem Mixed Quartette; Walter Roseburg, bass.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (277.4m)—4:30-6 Studio programme. 6-7, Multnomah Hotel Orchestra dinner concert. 7-7:30, Catholic Truth Society. 7:30-8:30, Mt. Tabor Presbyterian Church. 8:30-9, Col. C. R. Hotchkiss. 9-10, International Bible Students Association; time signals.

KFI, Los Angeles (468.5m)—10 a.m., Los Angeles Church Federation. 11, Third Church of Christ, Scientist. 1, N.B.C. programme. 2, Studio programme. 3, N.B.C. programme. 4:30, N.B.C. programme. 5, Olen Edmunds' Collegians and Edna Cook. 6, Pasquin and Harris. 6:35, Father Ricard's weather forecast. 6:30, N.B.C. programme. 7:30, Varieties; Gene Johnston, director. 9, Aeolian organ recital. 9, Studio programme. 9:30, Nellie Callender Milla, violinist, and Irene Dalton, pianist. 10, Altland and Perrins; Packard Six Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Oregon (491m)—8:30-9:30 a.m., Auntie Blossome reading the comics. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 6:30-7:30 N.B.C. programme. 7:30-8, Two Steinway artists. 8-9, Wm. A. Grout programme. 9-9:30, N.B.C. programme. 9:30-10, The Oregonians. 10-11, Concert by Little Symphony Orchestra.

KGE, Seattle, Wash. Cal. (243.8m)—10:50-12 noon, First Congregational Church. 7:45-9 p.m., Services of First Congregational Church.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252.7m)—11-2:15 p.m., Programme by Wright, the Tailor. 2:15-4:30, Coast League baseball game. 7-7:15, Musical programme. 7:15-7:20, Talk on "Radio Interference." 7:20-7:30, Harry Jackson's Entertainers. 7:30-8, Daily news. 9-9, Light Opera hour.

KFSG, Los Angeles (252m)—10:30-12:30 p.m., Morning worship. 2:30-4:30, Dispensational message. 6-7, Silver Band concert. 7-9, Silver Band. Temple Choir 9-10, Revival service. 12-1, a.m. Midnight Heralds.

KLS, Oakland, Cal. (249.9m)—9:50-10:50 a.m., Radio Church of America.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria (475.9m)—9 a.m., The morning market quotations direct from the B.C. Bond Corporation. 6 p.m., The closing market quotations of the B.C. Bond Corporation. 6:20, Inaugural programme presented by the "Sunset Broadcasters." 7:20, What's doing in town; West Coast Information Service; time signal by Wilkerson, Jeweler; official weather reports and forecast. 11, Organ recital from the Capitol Theatre by courtesy of The Colonist.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—6 p.m. to 11 p.m.

KFWI, San Francisco (267.7m)—5-5:30 p.m., Brunswick concert. 5:30-5:45, Advance construction reports. 5:45-6, News flashes. 6-7, Musical programme. 7-7:15, Sports review. 7:15-7:30, Advertising talk. 8-8:30, Musical programme. 9:30-9, Impressions, Motor Amsterdam. 10:10-03, Reports of missing people. 10:03-11, Dance music.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (309.1m)—5-6 p.m., Health talk; Kiddies' programme. 5-6:45, News flashes and sports. Totem Concert Orchestra. 6:45-7:30, "Open'ng the Mail"; Totem Concert Orchestra. 7:30-8, Totem Mixed Quartette. Totem Concert Orchestra. 8-11, N.B.C. programme. 11-12 midnight, Late news flashes. Fred Lynch, tenor; Lucille Nutley Johnson, piano solos; Totem Mixed Quartette. 12-12:30 a.m., West Coast Theatres organ.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (240.7m)—4-5 p.m., Orthophonic recital. 5:45-6:45, Who's Who hour. 6:45-7:30, Shopping hour. 8-9, The Weavers. 9-10, Philomelé Chorus of University of Redlands.

KFRC, San Francisco (454.3m)—4:30-5:15 p.m., Organ recital. 5:15-5:30, News items and police reports. 5:30-6:30, Mac and his Gang. 6:30-6:30, Stage and screen; stock quotations. 6:30-7:30, Cecilians dinner concert. 6-10, Blue Monday Jamboree. 10-11, Hotel Mark Hopkins Orchestra. 11-12 midnight, Junsletown Orchestra.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (356.9m)—5-5:45 p.m., Chet Mittendorf. 5:45-8, Town Crier amusement tips. 6-9:30, Dinner programme. 6:30-7, Biltmore Concert Orchestra. 7-7:30, Courtesy programme. 7:30-8, One act play by KNX players. 8-9, Calmon Lubovski, master violinist; Clarie Mellonino, pianist. 9-9:30, Larry Wood courtesy programme. 10-11, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 11-12 midnight, Hotel Ambassador Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508.2m)—5:30-6:30 p.m., Brother Bob's Club. 6:30-7, Studio programme. 7-7:30, News broadcast. 8-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Weekly meeting of Lake Merritt Ducks.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—5:30-9 p.m., Aunt Betty (Ruth Thompson) stories; KGO Kiddies's Klub. 6, S.F. and N.Y. stocks. 6:20-6:35, Trolan Band and Glee Club. 9-11, N.B.C. programme.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (447.5m)—5:30-6 p.m., Service half hour. 6-6:30, Sperry Flour sightseeing hour. 6:30-7:15, Studio programme. 7:15-7:30, Industrial news. 7:30-7:45, Better Flowers talk. 7:45-8, Something about Everything. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-9:30, Organ recital. 9:30-10, N.B.C. programme. 10:30-12 midnight, Weekly frolic of the Spokane Coyotes.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—6-7 p.m., Hawaiian music hour. 6-6:20, Lecture "Golden Age." 6:20-9, Harmonium Club programme. 9-9:15, Lecture "The Pyramids," S. L. Brevit. 9:15-10, Orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (348.6m)—5-5:30 p.m., KJR Junior Club. 5:30-5:45, Studio programme. 5:45-6, Stock quotations. 9-6:30, Sports, news items, announcements. 6:30-7:30, Vic Meyers dinner concert. 7:30-8, Clayton Chapman's Orchestra. 8:30-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Mrs. V. W. Gettings, soprano. 10-11, Vic Meyers' Dance Orchestra.

KFSG, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—3-4 p.m., Santa Monica Branch Church. 4-5, Elec-tru-tone concert. 5-6, Vesper hour; organ recital.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319m)—5:15-9 Topsy-Turvy Time Club for the children. 6-7, Heathman Hotel pipe organ. 7-7:15, Suggestions for Amusement. 7:15-8, Benson Hotel Orchestra. 8-6:30, Motor Coach Entertainers. 8:30-9, KOIN Radio Players. 9-10, Al Kader Shrine Band. 10-11:30, Cole McElroy's Dance Band.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (241.8m)—6-6:15 p.m., Doris and Clarence. 9:15-6:45, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 6:45-7, Faculty Night. 7-8, Buttercream School House. 9-9, Programme by Light and Cook. 9-12, midnight, Kiwanis Frolic. 12-1 a.m., Dance programme.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (399.8m)—5-6 p.m., The Sunset Quartette. 6-6:15, Nightly Doings. 9:15-9:45, Orthophonic and Knabe Ampico programme. 9:45-7, World Wide news. 7-8, California Syncopators. 8-9, Courtesy programme. 9-10, Sun dodgers. 10-11, John TeGreen and his Alexandria Hotel Dance Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles (468.5m)—5 p.m., Big Brother Bob. 5-45, Senator George W. Cartwright. 6, White King Male Quartette. 7, KFI Symphonette. 8, N.B.C. programme. 9, Cornelius Buckley, tenor. 9:30, N.B.C. programme. 10, KFI Symphonette.

KFJR, Portland, Ore. (339.9m)—5-5:15 p.m., Oregon Journal news items. 5:15-5:30, Oregon Journal code class. 7-8, Trail stories and music. 9-10, Homebuilders' concert. 10-11, Audiola hour.

KTBI, Los Angeles (275.1m)—4-5 p.m., Bible Institute news hour. 7-8, Specially selected hour. 8-9, Sacred Concert. 9-10, Old Hymns; KTBI Mixed Quartette.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—5-5:10 p.m., News items. 5:10-6, Talks. 9-6:15, Mahlon Merrick's Concert Orchestra. 6:15-9:30, Mr. Ben Cohn, travelogue. 6:30-8, Organ recital with soloists. 6-9:30, National Broadcast Co. programme. 10:30-12 midnight, Spokane Coyotes.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252.7m)—5-5:15 Radio travel tales. 5:15-5:45, Radio review. 5:45-9, Town Tattler. 6-6:30, Ray Baller's Quartette. 6:30-7, Harry Jackson's entertainers. 7-7:30, Courtesy programme. 7:30-8, Daily news. 8-9, Helen Pacino, popular songs; Studio Boys. 9-10, Robert Cheatham, baritone; LeGrand Concert Trio. 10-11, The Cinderella Roof Orchestra.

KGW, Portland Ore. (491m)—6-7 p.m., The Home Warmers. 7-7:30, Edwards Dependable Coffee Demi Tasse programme. 7:30-7:45, Better Flowers talk. 7:45-8, Utility service. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-11, N.B.C. programme.

KOA, Denver, Colorado (325.9m)—7-7:15 p.m., Instrumental programme. 7:15-8:15, The Koa Koons. 8:15-9, KOA Orchestra Melody Maids.

KPO, San Francisco (422.3m)—4:30-5 p.m., Ye Towne Cryer service. 5-6, Children's hour by Big Brother. 6-7, Dinner music. 7-7:20, Violin recital. 7:20-7:30, Book Review by Harold Small. 9-10, National Broadcasting Co. programme. 10-12 midnight, KPO variety programme.

KMO, Tacoma, Wash. (254.1m)—5:30-6 M.Y.M.C.A. 6-6:30, The India programme. 6:30-7, St. Louis programme. 7-7:30, Ask Me Another. 7:30-8, Navylex programme. 8-9, Jane Morse, Harry Foley and Paradise (Serenaders) simultaneous with KLX. 9-9:15, Book chat. 9:15-9:30, Charley Martin, accordion. 9:30-10, Clinton Raymond, popular requests.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (277.4m)—5:30-6 p.m., Courtesy programme. 6-6:30, Time signals, news, sports, announcements, livestock, shippers' advice. 6:30-7, Sperry Flour children's hour. 7-8, Studio programme. 8-9, Musical programme. 9-10, Studio programme. 10-12 midnight, Monday Night Review.

KGA, Spokane, Wash. (260.7m)—5-15-9 p.m., Kiddies' programme. 6, Time signals. 9-7, Weather, service talks, music. 7-8, Studio programme. 9-10, American Legion programme. 10-12 midnight, Dance music.

KPLA, Los Angeles (288.3m)—5-5:20 p.m., Spanish course. 6-7, Dinner hour programme. 7-8, Popular programme, Katherine O'Neill. 9-9, KPLA Concert Quintette. 9-10, Romola Theatre Orchestra. 10-11, Palais de Dance.

KYA, San Francisco (361.2m)—6-6:15 p.m., News items. 9:15-6:30, Edgar White, dramatic critic. 6:30-7, Golden Gate Cryer, with Hal. 7-7:30, Charles W. Hamp. 8-8:30, Presenting six new artists. 6:30-9, West Coast Theatres programme. 9-10, Variety programme. 10-12 midnight, Rambler Dance Orchestra.

Newspaper Stations In U.S. Reduced

There are at present thirty-seven newspapers in the United States owning or operating a radio station or studio, according to the year book issued by The Editor and Publisher. This is a considerable decrease over last year, when the same publication listed ninety-two newspaper stations.

OUR ROCKS TO TELL HISTORY

A history of the world told in rocks of each period, with words of pebbles and the pages of stone, is being prepared by Dr. A. R. Crook, who has just returned to England from a geological expedition to a number of districts in North America. He says that he will use the corridor in a museum for his history. Initial "pages" will show only stone formations. They will be followed by the first-known types of life embedded in stone, and then by fish, birds, and reptiles, until human remains are reached.

BRITAIN'S RADIO SITUATION IDEAL

Broadcasting Regulated so That Owners of Lowly Crystal Sets Fear no Evil

England's radio broadcasting situation is, by way of strong contrast to our own, as definitely established as the Magna Charta. Though it undergoes, from time to time, a slight renovation unfelt and hardly seen by the listening legions that make up the audience of the British broadcasters, it has only so far submitted to a sort of aging process that has given it stability, permanence, and even majesty.

There has been no period of chaos in Great Britain. The nearest approach to this disastrous disruption was in 1926, when all of Europe could not make itself heard, except simultaneously and interferingly, and without result. An international conference was called, the wave-length situation was readjusted, and England secured peace for its listeners, leaving one of her foremost broadcast executives in the manager's chair of the newly-formed International Radio Union, which body has ruled, ever since, the air over twenty-two European countries.

Insured of domestic peace for some time to come, the development of broadcasting within the kingdom went apace. Perhaps present fan felicity is due to the fact that radio is a Government monopoly in the British Isles. But it is a fact that everything is so ruled, so governed, and so regulated that even the owner of a lowly crystal set can have his programme when and how he can catch them. And there are thousands of crystal receivers doing good work in the hinterlands.

Radio and Electric Firms Lead Owners Of Canada Stations

CANADIAN raido and electrical concerns top the list among the owners and operators of radio stations in the Dominion, according to a survey recently completed by an authority in Canada. Next in the list come stations owned by newspapers, with the Canadian National Railways stations in third place with eleven broadcasters. Religious societies, churches, privately operated stations and radio societies follow in the order named. Financial companies, as a class, own and operate the fewest number of radio stations.

Europe Listens In To Kremlin Chimes

"Big Ben" in London no longer has the field to itself as being the most famous bell heard over the radio abroad, inasmuch as a ten-kilowatt station now operating in Novosibersk, Russia, relays the Kremlin chimes to Central Europe from Moscow every night at nine o'clock. However, from the chill of a typical Winter evening in London the chimes of Big Ben were wafted over the ether to the congenial heat of an Austrayian Summer night when a special programme transmitted by the British station 5SW, Chelmsford, was picked up and rebroadcast by station 3LO in Melbourne, Australia.

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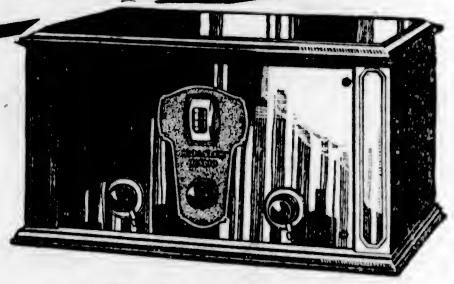

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MUCH SUFFERING CAUSED BY CLAMOR

Noise in our streets and roads has so greatly increased that it is becoming a real curse of modern life, writes Lord Montagu Beaulieu, the noted authority on motor vehicle and highway problems, in The London Times. "It is affecting the health of all classes of the community," he opines, "and in cases of illness it causes much unnecessary suffering to those who try to sleep with their windows open. In London, nowadays, it is only for about three hours during the whole twenty-four, namely, 2 a.m. to 5 a.m., that one does not hear the clatter of noisy mechanical traffic or the screech of a mechanical horn.

"It is typical of our illogical legislation," he continues to say, "that, while one may be prosecuted for keeping a barking dog, a crowing cock, or for playing the piano at unreasonable hours during the night, no serious attempt has been made to curb the hideous noises made by drivers of motor vehicles, in main thoroughfares and quiet streets alike, or to prohibit the irritating clatter of heavy lorries, many of which ought to have been thrown on the scrap-heap months ago. And with the inevitable increase of motor traffic during the years to come, unless something is done to curb the noise, life near main roads or in towns will become almost unendurable during the day and sleep will be impossible at night.

DETRIMENTAL EFFECT

"Already—as showing the detrimental effect of noise—houses which face noisy streets are becoming difficult to dispose of and quiet flats and houses in remote squares are increasing in value. Fifteen years ago, in addressing a gathering of London house agents and surveyors, I hazarded the opinion that in a few years' time the houses most in request would be those in places where there was an absence of noise, and where restful sleep was possible at night.

"Noise, of course, is a symptom of the restless age in which we live. A large proportion of the younger generation likes to hear at meals jangling bands which are so deafening that conversation is difficult, and cynics aver that this is because conversation is a lost art. In the United States the arrival of notable persons such as Colonel Lindbergh, the celebration of national anniversaries, and the winning of any kind of race, are celebrated by making the greatest amount of noise possible. The clapping of hands and the welcome of "hurrahs" have been superseded entirely by steam whistles, crackers, horns, drums and mechanical noise in general. But it is equally interesting, too, to reflect that the arrival or departure of kings, princes and great personages has been accompanied from time immemorial by the firing of guns and the making of strange noises, especially among savage tribes. One might almost say that causing a noise in order to demonstrate joy or to give a welcome is a survival of barbarism, and one night almost be tempted to ask whether, in this matter, if not in some others, we are not becoming more barbarian than we were.

"The problem of how to diminish noise and yet to warn the careless is one that should be considered most carefully. In any case, no violent changes should be made. Let me be bold and make a few suggestions.

"In cities there might be zones of silence, limited to quite short distances in main thoroughfares, and longer distances in part or the whole of residential streets, whether in Bermondsey or Belgravia. In the main thoroughfares there should be these zones of silence near hospitals and large hotels, and where nursing homes happen to be grouped close together. In such areas no mechanical horn should be allowed to be sounded at any hour of the twenty-four. But a bulb-horn, 'd'un ton grave,' as in the French regulations, should be allowed.

"In the less frequented streets, where traffic is considerable but not really continuously heavy, there might be two different periods of silence from horn-blowing—one between, say, 9 p.m. and 7 a.m.—this period being inclusive of the sleeping hours of masters and servants, children and nurses—and the other period being applicable to streets in which doctors, dentists and nursing homes form the large majority of the inhabitants. In these, mechanical horn-blowing should be prohibited during the whole of the twenty-four hours. And, in the countryside, every village that desired to be protected by a zone of silence might have power to ask for it on appeal to the County Council.

"There remains another point to be dealt with—that is, what is to happen at night when the vision of the driver is contracted by darkness, and when the average human being is not so alert. The answer is a paradox. There is far less need of horn-blowing at night than in the day. In the country bright headlights on a car are more effective in warning other users of the road than any noise could possibly be. And in towns, even with the absence of powerful headlights, all mechanical vehicles carry sidelights which are incomparably brighter than the old oil or candle lights of the horse vehicle area. No reasonably cautious pedestrian should grumble if in the zones of silence no mechanical horns are blown at night.

"It is no exaggeration to say that most of those who are doing any kind of regular, strenuous work in the world would be better for less noise during their working hours. Life is becoming more arduous for many, and the need for real rest during the hours of sleep becomes equally more necessary.

Plunge of Car Into Ocean While Racing Described

THE correspondent of The New York Times at Daytona Beach, Fla., thus describes the plunge that Frank Lockhart and his Stutz Special took into the ocean during speed trials there when Capt. Campbell beat all records at 207 miles an hour:

The little white car with its bullet-shaped body was seen approaching the measured mile. The telephone messages reporting the approach of the car over the four-mile start had come in with startling rapidity, barely giving the announcer time to read the reports.

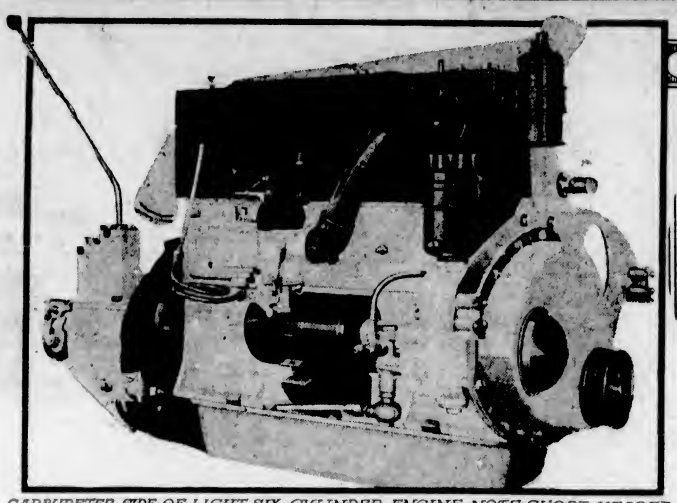
At the five-kilometer post the little car was seen to swerve sharply to the left toward the peoples' dunes. As suddenly it swerved back to the right, toward the sea. Plunging bodily into the air in the manner of a leaping animal, it rushed toward the ocean and into the water.

When the car struck there was a wave a few feet deep. The machine rose twice from the surface like a skipping stone, then rolled rapidly over several times before coming to a rest right side up in the breaking surf.

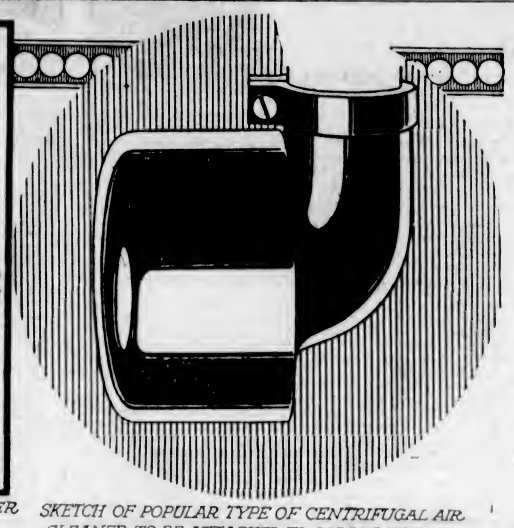
Use Compressed Air In Oldsmobile Plant

It would require a building 1,000 feet long, 100 feet wide and 25 feet high to inclose the air that is daily compressed at the Oldsmobile factories. This compressed air is used to operate the drills, wrenches, crane, spray guns and other modern labor-saving equipment employed in making Oldsmobiles.

More Mileage by Improved Carburetion on New Cars



CARBURETER SIDE OF LIGHT SIX CYLINDER ENGINE. NOTE SHORT HEADER PIPE BETWEEN CARBURETER AND MANIFOLD.



SKETCH OF POPULAR TYPE OF CENTRIFUGAL AIR CLEANER TO BE ATTACHED TO CARBURETER.

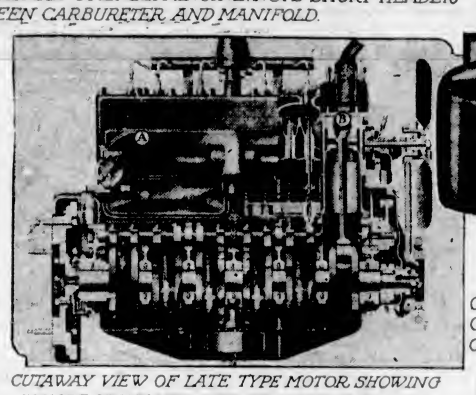
By AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEER

BESIDES better gasoline and higher compression there are other factors that are contributing to the improved mileage per gallon of gasoline secured by the new cars. Primarily, good fuel economy is achieved through good carburetion. The proper mixing of the fuel and air is what makes it possible to get the utmost possible power out of each explosion, and this is just another way of measuring economy.

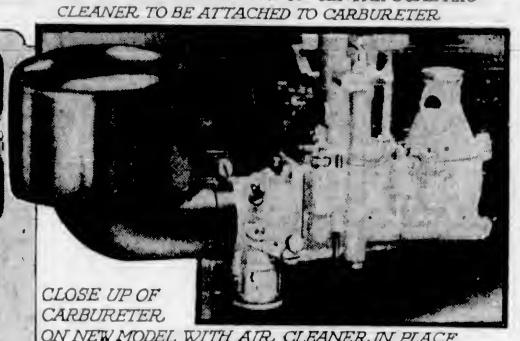
There are certain characteristics about new motors and their carburetors which distinguish them from the older types. One hardly ever sees on the new motors the long intake pipe from the carburetor to the manifold. The carburetor today is higher and very close to the intake, which is often cored into the cylinder block to a much greater extent than formerly. Of course, the object is to prevent the recondensation of the gasoline after it has been vaporized and mixed with the air.

Another feature of the new manifolds is that they are designed to keep the gas in a constant state of motion after it is drawn from the carburetor. The continuous agitation of the gas helps to prevent condensation and at the same time it promotes the homogenity of the mixture. In plain English, this means that a sample of the mixture would contain the same quantity of air and gasoline no matter from what part of the manifold it were drawn.

The practice of keeping the gasoline in a constant state of agitation in the manifold is directly opposite to what was thought good practice a few years ago. At that time it was the effort of every designer to put easy sweeping curves in the manifold to make the flow of the gasoline and air mixture just as easy as possible. This is still observed as far as the exhaust manifold is concerned. In the case of the intake manifold it is generally conceded that a certain amount of turbulence is a good thing because it prevents the recondensation of the fuel. Consequently we see on som cars the intake manifold designed to throw the gas around a right angle bend on its way to the cylinder in order to promote this turbulence and to keep the vapors in suspension.



CUTAWAY VIEW OF LATE TYPE MOTOR SHOWING SQUARE SECTIONED INTAKE MANIFOLD "A" AND HIGH-COMPRESSION HEAD "B."



CLOSE UP OF CARBURETER ON NEW MODEL WITH AIR CLEANER IN PLACE.

The best carburetion in the world is set at naught if the distribution is not good. By distribution in the intake manifold is meant the proper proportioning of the fuel mixture so that each cylinder gets the same amount on each intake stroke. In this respect automobile motors have been improved immeasurably during the past few years. In the experimental rooms of the factories one of the tests is to have the engine running with the exhaust manifold removed so that the flames of the exhaust are shot out into the room.

This is naturally a very noisy test, but the color of the exhaust flame from each individual cylinder gives a very good clue as to the amount and quality of the mixture entering that cylinder. This is to help in designing the manifold so that proper distribution is obtained at all speeds. The color of the exhaust flames from all the cylinders should be identical.

On some of the new cars the richness of the mixture and the heat control is within the hands of the owner. It takes a little practice and skill for the owner to get the most out of the carburetor when he is new at handling these controls, but when the skill is gained it makes it possible not only to get greater mileage out of the car to the gallon of gasoline, but actually to improve the performance considerably.

The air cleaner is holding its own and it is doing a great amount of good in prolonging the life of the engine. Keeping the dirt and accumulations out of the crankcase cuts down the wear of the engine and keeps it quiet long after it would have become very noisy under normal conditions. An increasing number of makers are also putting gasoline strainers on their cars. The protection against dirt either by the air stream or by the fuel line is valuable. Some back this up still further by including an oil filter, and this has the advantage that it makes it unnecessary to change the oil frequently as would be the case without a filter.

British Patent to Replace Springs On Automobiles

Following closely upon the introduction of the new Ford comes the news of a British invention to eliminate the necessity for springs on automobiles. The device is the invention of W. Lawson Adams and consists of a toothed steel disc bolted to the side of the frame with a rubber cushion between it and a similar disc. The second disc is connected to the end of the axle by a steel arm. The discs and cushion are bolted together and it is claimed that the cushion absorbs all road shocks. Experiments with the invention on an old car revealed that at a speed of forty miles an hour, over gutters, ridges and six-inch holes, most comfortable riding was experienced. Small articles placed on the back seat of the car had not shifted at the end of the test.

BURNISH COMMUTATOR

Burnishing the commutator with sandpaper will make the starting motor more powerful. Projecting ridges of mica should also be removed.

HUPP'S 'CENTURY' HAS BIG SUCCESS

Tribute to Car's Efficiency Manifest in New High Sales Record

Establishing new high sales records is only one phase of the tribute that has consistently been paid the three new "Century" Hupmobiles since their introduction. R. S. Cole, Hupmobile general sales manager, points out that applications from dealers for sales rights since the new "Six of the Century"—the first of the new models—was announced in October, have exceeded those made during any similar period in the company's history.

More than 1,000 applications for dealerships were filed during the four months to March 1, he reports.

"Sales to distributors and dealers during those four months twice broke all previous monthly records," he said. "March again will set a new high total.

"The demand for Hupmobiles everywhere has not caused us to lower the high standards we compel in our sales representatives. On the contrary, we are scrutinizing dealer applications very carefully in accordance with our long-established policy. Only those who can bring the highest grade service facilities to the public are being granted the right to represent us. Of the thousand and more applicants, we actually granted 390 of them during those four months.

"It is our policy to strengthen Hupmobile in every section of the country, and to encourage dealerships wherever there is sufficient adjacent population to make it advisable. But our first requisite is that the prospective dealer must be fully competent to furnish the Hupmobile owner with the best service facilities than can be offered.

"That policy will be continued. Only those dealers who can maintain the high standard to the public, on which we insist, can qualify."

Two Systems of Car Brakes Required

Representatives of fifteen states and two Canadian provinces attending the Eastern Conference of State Motor Vehicle Administrations, recently held in New York City, unanimously adopted the proposed law of having two separate braking systems on all automobiles.

BRAKE LININGS

To keep a smooth surface on the lining apply a few drops of thin oil to the brake shoes or drums about every 2,000 miles or so.

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Describes Dramatic Incident of Driver Lockhart's Dive Into Ocean in Cramped Cockpit of His Little Stutz Special and Narrow Escape From Instantaneous Death

Liberty Motors of American's Car Capable of Developing 3000 H.P.

(By HAMILTON M. WRIGHT)

THE most thrilling and dramatic speed contest in the history of the world recently came to its close. Man has gone faster than he previously had ever gone on land. It proves there is good red blood in the human race. It also proves that many of the problems of the heavier than air machines are encountered by racing automobiles which hurtle through the air at a rate of two hundred miles an hour or more. Indeed, the two machines making the highest speed at the meet on Ormond-Daytona Beach were provided with aviation motors, and the third, Frank Lockhart's, was the refinement of streamline designing, which has been so well developed by the science of aviation.

The meet was spectacular, thrilling and terrible. Its three highly dramatic notes were the skidding of Captain Malcolm Campbell's Bluebird, when, driving at a rate of more than 214 miles per hour, he won the world's record; the huge leaps into the air made by Frank Lockhart's Stutz Special, when his machine plunged into the sea, and the courage of Ray Keech who, when blinded by the steam and hot water from a broken pipeline in the huge thirty-six-cylindered Triplex which was thundering along with incredible velocity, he brought the huge projectile on wheels to a stop within three miles, although he suffered agonies from the steam which constantly scalded his right thigh.

From this, one is apt to infer that it is almost impossible to come within distance of the world's speed record without skirting death by a narrow margin.

Let the story speak for itself as to this. I saw it all, and like thousands of others, my heart leaped into my throat.

REMARKABLE ADVENTURE

The most remarkable adventure and escape from death, among the three, was experienced by Frank Lockhart, twenty-five-year-old American driver. Lockhart has the smallest and costliest racing automobile ever built. An expert mechanic, the young racer had superintended every detail of the making of the car, and had personally designed many of its extraordinary features. It had, it is claimed, cost between $75,000 and $100,000. The machine is very small, being but twenty-six inches in height, two feet in width and fifteen and one-half feet in length. It weighs 2,900 pounds and is shaped like a bullet to encounter a very low resistance from the air when going at a high velocity.

Economy of space forced him to encase his legs on either side of the propeller shaft, and to fold himself into a narrow seat which just admitted his body. The engine, though smaller than the smallest passenger car engine, revolves at the terrific speed of 7,200 revolutions per minute when going at above 200 miles an hour. It develops about 400 horsepower. The supercharger revolves five and one-half times as rapidly as the engine, or at a rate of between thirty-five thousand and forty thousand in a minute.

LOCKHART'S WILD EXPERIENCE

It was in this car that at 4.29 in the afternoon of February 22, 1928, Lockhart, while making his supreme effort to capture a world's record, skidded into the sea in a wild, hurtling, somersaulting leap, that onlookers thought must surely result in his death.

Since the first trial of his racer, some six days prior to his fearful experience, Lockhart had had a number of annoying difficulties, such as are liable to happen to any new mechanism which is subjected to tremendous stresses on its first runs.

Shortly after four o'clock in the afternoon Lockhart ran his racer down from the north end of the course but slowed up as he passed the grand stand, and it was announced that he had decided to make his run from south to north. He disappeared into the mist. For half an hour the crowd waited.

Then the announcer shouted, "Lockhart is starting at the nine-mile post."

The hum of the motor was heard and it grew in crescendo. From out the fog Lockhart appeared coming with terrific velocity. The machine was skirting close to the flag line. It was near the water. It was in the water. A huge cloud of spray rose from the thin waves at the water-line. Lockhart's machine almost too swift for the eye to follow, turned to the sea—leaped far above the waves—came down, leaped again, twenty feet above the water. It turnd sideways and over and at one time it was headed straight up. It turned a complete double somersault. It had gone below the breakers.

HE'S ALIVE

Women screamed. Men on the dunes rushed into the sea, and grasped the automobile which miraculously had landed in the surf right side up. The cry spread through the crowd, "He's alive." Men were holding up the automobile so that Lockhart would not drown. The daring young driver maintained his presence of mind. The breakers swayed the car to and fro. Men up to their necks in water when the high waves came were joined by others. The car was now held by many. It was impossible to pull Lockhart out, for the steering wheel jammed back imprisoned him in the narrow cockpit.

An immense crowd gathered on the beach near the submerged car, and hundreds rushed into the water. Even women rushed into the surf. The wrecker came up, but the rope was not long enough to reach from the wrecker to the car. The crowd literally rescued Lockhart, for they formed a huge line of 200 persons pulling altogether on the rope and snaked the car ashore. Frank Lockhart seemed semi-conscious, but when his rescuers began to pry the sides of the car with crowbars so as to extricate him, he came to the rescue of his beloved machine on which he had spent so many days and nights and cried: "Don't wreck it all to pieces."

He was placed in the ambulance, and the crowd filed homeward. At the hospital it was learned that Mr. Lockhart had not any broken bones, but that he suffered from the shock of his terrible experience. Three of the tendons of his wrist had been cut, and his wrist was operated on that evening. Next morning he was thinking about future runs in his machine.

CAR DIVED UNDER

Lockhart was in the water fully twelve minutes, by my watch, sitting upright in his battered machine. The heavy wheels and the shaft in the bottom of the chassis, and the distribution of the weight of the machinery close to the ground to make it hold the course well, probably had something to do with its settling on the bottom with its wheels on the sand. Surely it turned at almost every conceivable angle when hurtling through the air. Had Lockhart landed top downward he would have met instant death. As it was he was pinned in the narrow chassis. The breakers rolled over his head when the car was raised by his rescuers. It was difficult to see the white car among the white breakers until one had reached the water. And when the car first struck the water it disappeared completely under the waves.

Ray Keech had a different sort of experience in driving the huge thirty-six-cylindered Triplex in a dramatic run while being scalded by escaping steam. The giant machine, built by Mr. J. M. White, of Philadelphia, was making its first run on the beach. In fact, it had never been run before under its own power. Speculation as to what it would do was expressed on every hand, for it had, literally, almost been built from the junk pile, although it proved to be a finely adjusted piece of mechanism. The front springs had been taken from a used truck. The three heavy stanchions of the chassis had come from a large abandoned dray.

1,500 HORSEPOWER

The three big twelve-cylindered Liberty motors had been taken from airplanes, developing altogether more than 1,500 horsepower. The rated horsepower of each of its Liberty motors was 420 at 1,750 revolutions per minute, but changes in the oiling and timing systems and carburetors had given it 3,300 revolutions per minute in block tests in the shop. It was estimated the Triplex should make 255 miles an hour at 2,300 revolutions per minute, allowing 1,000 revolutions to overcome wind resistance and friction.

Keech is an experienced race track driver, well-poised, strongly set up, and 28 years old. The Triplex had been disqualified from the speed test because it lacked a reverse gear as required by the rules of the automobile association under whose auspices the meet was conducted.

But an arrangement was reached between White and the judges of the contest whereby he was to demonstrate the speed qualities of his machine and if it proved a real racer he was to have an opportunity to install reverse gearing. The association agreed to time the machine.

This was the status of the case when Ray Keech drove the Triplex south from Ormond Beach determined to give her every bit of power in her engines so that she might qualify for the contest.

"The Triplex is starting, Ray Keech driving," the announcer called. The hum of the gigantic motors was heard far north of the grandstand. The Triplex came into view trailed by an immense cloud of black smoke. She was traveling at incredible speed. The roar of her motors filled the air. Suddenly somewhere near the starting flag a puff of white steam issued from the Triplex. She seemed to slow up, but still moved with great velocity. Keech's head was seen stuck over the side of the car as it swept past the grandstand. The Triplex, with its power shut off, was carried two miles down the beach by its momentum, where it was found that Keech had been injured, and an ambulance was summoned.

SCALDED BY STEAM

What had happened was this, as explained by Ray Keech: "I had got a magnificent start. I was going at tremendous speed. The tachometer showed that I was making between 2,200 and 2,400 revolutions of the motor per minute, which should be somewhere between 240 and 253 miles per hour, according to our estimates. She was handling superbly. Just as I looked out and saw the starting flag about a quarter of a mile ahead, I looked at the tachometer. We had previously decided that it would be dangerous to attempt to exceed 2,300 revolutions per minute.

"Suddenly I felt a burst of steam and hot water. It was like a man going blind. I could not see a thing. I was hurtling through space with the ocean on one side and the soft sand of the dunes on the other. I stuck my head over the side of the car to see the course. The wind caught my head and forced me back in the seat back against the left rear engine. I held my body rigid, shut off the gas, and with my head outside of the wind shield. I gripped the wheel with every power in my body. I think I coasted almost three miles before the Triplex came to a stop, under the compression of its thirty-six cylinders, which is a much greater compression than any brake. When I came to a stop, my fingers were so tightly gripped around the steering gear that they had to be pried loose. I was in agony. My body had been protected by my leather jacket, but the scalding steam and hot water had burned about two feet of skin along my right thigh. The pipe line from the front motor had worked loose."

MASTERLY SKILL

An impression was gained by many observers at the meet that much higher velocities than the present record will be obtained. Indeed, Captain Campbell's manager stated shortly after the Captain's record run of 206 miles per hour that the Bluebird had another twenty or twenty-five miles an hour in her. Automobile speeds of 300 miles an hour are predicted, but if held on Ormond-Daytona Beach the rate of speed will necessarily be eventually limited by the length of the beach, about twenty-five miles if the pier at Daytona Beach were removed.

The victor in the speed contest, Captain Malcolm Campbell, of London, England, is an accomplished driver and has won half a hundred cups. He has never been seriously injured in any of his epochal runs. His almost superhuman skill in the management of his racing car was an important factor in keeping it steady on the beach. This was demonstrated shortly after the Captain's arrival, for anxious to try out the Bluebird he took the machine out for its first trial when the beach was very rough and bumpy. A high southwest wind prevailed, and the offshore breeze caused the rollers to strike the beach at an angle, causing deep ridges in the sand. Captain Campbell, eager for the fray, and confident of the Bluebird, promptly took off for a trial spin. The wind became so high that an observation airplane with a motion camera man was obliged to make a forced landing.

The Bluebird came lurching down the course, bobbing and swaying like a rabbit over the beach whose irregularities were multiplied by his velocity. Captain Campbell, it was later shown by the electric timing machine, was making 186 miles per hour. This, less than a year from this writing, would have been a world's record. Mrs. Campbell, watching her adventurous husband from the grandstand, was visibly agitated. Suddenly, the Bluebird struck a slight rise in the sand. It leaped thirty feet, afterward shown by its tracks. It skidded sideways for the length of a city block. In a flash the incident had passed. The car was disappearing, a tiny dot on the horizon. In the hands of a less dextrous driver, the big machine, weighing 5,600 pounds, would have turned turtle or crashed over sideways into a mass of wreckage.

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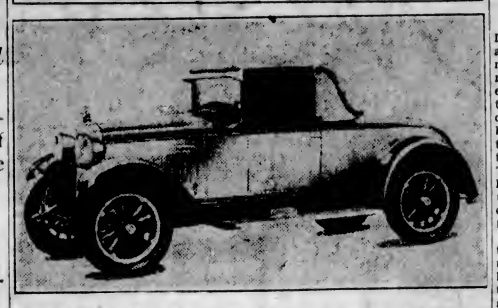
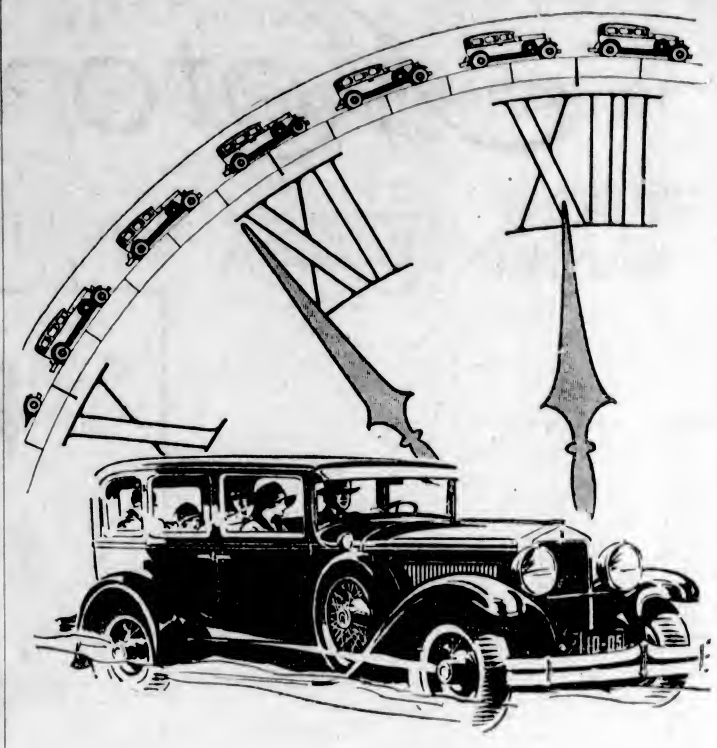


The new Willys-Knight Special Six Cabriolet Coupe is one of the most attractive models in this popular line of Knight engined cars. Four passengers are easily accommodated in this car, two in the spacious front seat and two in the rumble seat in the rear deck.



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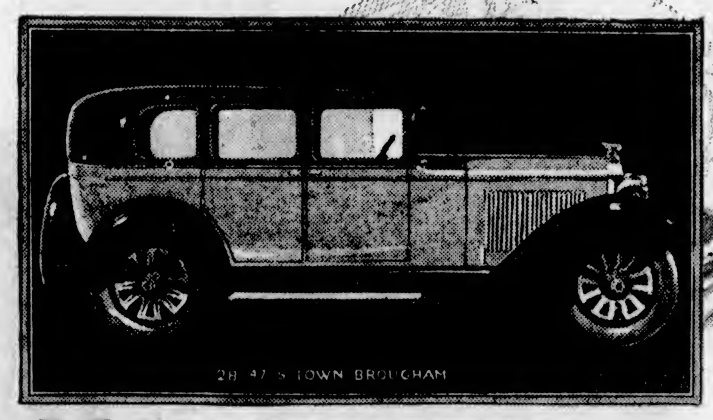

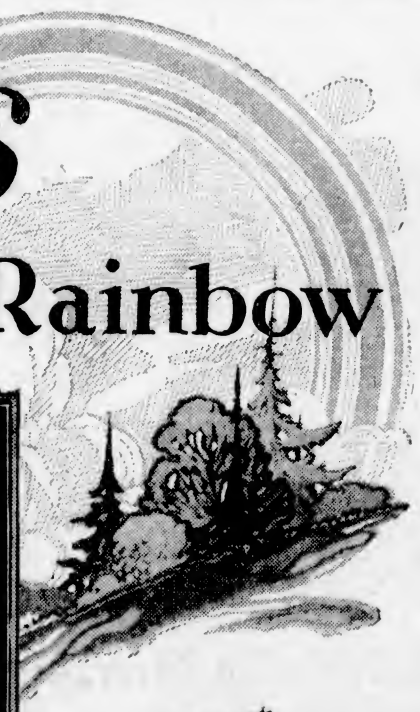

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WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT—McLAUGHLIN-BUICK WILL BUILD THEM

Ontario Plans To Aid Buyers Of Used Motors

TORONTO, March 31.—Further protection to purchasers of used automobiles is given by an amendment to the Motor Vehicles Conditional Sales and Mortgage Act, introduced in the Ontario Legislature by Minister of Highways George S. Henry. The amendment provides for a central registry for motor liens. At present such liens are registered with the county court clerks, and when a car is sold in another county the purchaser has no way of knowing whether there is a lien against it. Under the new provisions all liens will be forwarded by the clerks to a central bureau in Toronto.

Adjust Bodies of Closed Motors After First 1,000 Miles

The closed body of a car should be adjusted after the first 1,000 to 1,500 miles of driving. Remove grease spots at once, using some safe standard cleaner. See that the tie-down bolts, which fasten the body to the chassis, are always tight. Loose tie-down bolts lead to distortion of door openings and cause squeaks. Squeaks, which come from a glazed hood, can be readily corrected by inserting a small piece of rubber or cloth, one-sixteenth inch thick, under the lacing and by slightly lubricating contact points. Contact points on rubber door bumpers facing door pillars, the door supporting dovetail and the striker plates, when they become glazed, should be lubricated, as should the door lock. Remove dust from upholstery regularly, preferably using a vacuum cleaner with special dusting attachment. If this is not available, brisk application of a whisk broom will give satisfactory results.

"Walking Back"

The trouble of walking back after a good ride down hill has been obliterated by a motor sled that has just appeared in Germany. It is propelled by a cogwheel driven by a one and one-half horsepower gasoline motor. On the outgoing journey the driveshaft is disconnected and the sled coasts. Then the engine is operated for the return trip. The sled has made nearly twenty miles an hour on level surfaces and the footrests are heated by exhaust gas from the engine.

CLEAN ASSEMBLY

Spread a piece of heavy brown wrapping paper over the bench top when overhauling a carburetor, vacuum tank or smaller units of the car. The paper serves to make a clean assembly and results in speedy work and accuracy.

ENGINE ROARING WARNS TROUBLE

High Speed Idling to Warm Power Unit Leads to Many Future Ills

It sounded like a concrete mixer getting into action, but the thing that really woke me was my next door neighbor's racing engine. For "Ruts," as his cronies call him, is convinced that high-speed idling is the one and only way to warm the engine up without its stopping.

Once his engine was as quiet as the best but now it ratties and clanks and grinds—and racing has done it. For racing racks a stiff engine, overloads the bearings before the stiff oil can thin out and subjects piston heads to a blast of livid fire before the rest of the engine has lost its chill.

Pour boiling water on the bottom of a stone cold milk bottle. It will give you a striking illustration of the expansion strains imposed on pistons when the engine is driven furiously while cold. Then consider that these intense extremes of heat and cold are combined with inertia strains of rapidly moving parts before the lubrication system has started to function, and you get some idea of the damage that can be done in a short time.

Heat is needed to make the engine work right, but it is the heat of slow idling that does the trick without destructive consequences. For heat spreads but slowly from the combustion chamber through the cylinder casting to the carburetor, manifolds and crankcase, and frenzied racing of the engine will speed up the warming process little, if any.

Some car owners race the engine to keep it from stopping, but this means that they never learned to work the choker right. Most cars need to have the choke pulled all the way out to start, but they also require that the choke be pushed in part way the instant the engine starts. If the choke is held all the way out the engine floods with gas and stops. If the choke is pushed all the way in, the gas mixture gets too much air and the engine stops. The right place is part way in and should be learned. It is a trick to find the place, but it is a trick that saves the engine's life and saves many starts to get one good one.

A little attention to the sounds the engine makes will soon show whether the choke has been pushed in too far or not enough. If the engine just quits, the choke has been pushed in too much, or has been held all the way out. If the engine lurches and jerks, the choke is probably pushed in from its extreme out position but not quite far enough in.

Learn to work the choke, run the engine at slow or moderate speed while warming it up and you will be repaid with easy starting and the increased life of your car.

More than 1,500,000 bags were destroyed in a fire at Rosario, Argentina, recently.

Air Ambulances Used by United States

Marines wounded in engagements with Nicaraguan rebel forces are rushed by an air transport plane to a hospital 100 miles distant.

SNOQUALMIE PASS MAY OPEN SOON

Engineers Expect Road Over Cascade Mountains Available for Traffic by April 15

Highway engineers hope to have Snoqualmie Pass, over the Cascade Mountains, opened for traffic not later than April 15. With the rugged Cascade Range dividing Western and Eastern Washington, traffic on 2,135 miles of state highways is hindered by snows each Winter, according to records compiled by the American Automobile Association. But, while snows may block the high passes, the Puget Sound county enjoys year-round traffic, and, by using the Columbia River highway, one may travel between Seattle and the East Side twelve months out of the year. Completion of the North Bank, or Evergreen highway will make even a shorter route to Walla Walla and Spokane, and by an all-state way.

Snoqualmie Pass was closed to traffic on December 13. During 1926 the Pass was opened on March 28, but in 1927 it was not in use till May 4.

The American Automobile Association estimates that every $100 spent in snow removal to open highways brings $1,000 in economic benefits.

Quarter Gain in Dodge Output Seen

Factory output of Dodge Brothers passenger cars and Graham Brothers trucks during the month of February from the plants of Dodge Brothers, Inc., in the United States and Canada, according to preliminary figures released by the factory in Detroit, was 20,727 units, a gain of 25.9 per cent over February last year, when the total was 16,463. The gain over January this year, when 12,764 units were shipped, is 62.3 per cent.

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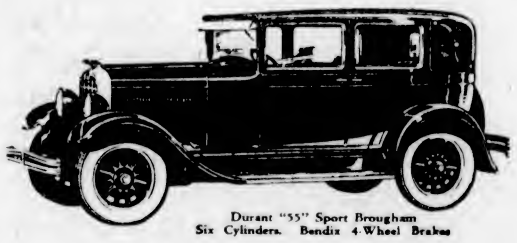

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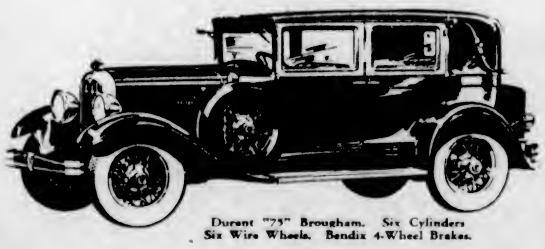

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NEW DURANT CAR BECOMES POPULAR

Appearance of Latest Four Would Place It in Class of Larger Expensive Motors

According to those who are now driving the new Durant Four, this latest four-cylinder product of Durant Motors of Canada, Limited, is acquitting itself even better than was at first though possible. A great many people are getting a real thrill out of their friends by asking them for a ride in their new "six" cylinder car. The new four rides so nicely, and the motor is so powerful and smooth that those who are not familiar with it readily believe that it is a six rather than a four.

It has even been reported that some of these riders wouldn't believe that they were riding in a four until the engine hood was lifted and they were shown that there were only four spark plugs.

The new Durant Four is, of course, a very smooth running car. It has the cold-rivetted chassis frame, like its big brothers and the Red Seal Continental Motor, though four cylinder, is of just as fine quality material as the larger six-cylinder motors.

The Red Seal Continental Motor is more powerful this year because it contains certain refinements that have been perfected during the past twelve months. There is a new carbureter that is quiet, and which permits of very fast pick-up. As in the Star cars of last year, the new motors have full-forced feed lubrication all through, and the cooling system is controlled by a thermostat. This makes Winter starting easy, as the water is not allowed to circulate until it has become warm.

The Durant Four has a longer wheelbase than the Star four had last year, the increase being four inches. This is a big improvement as it makes long riding a real pleasure. The longer wheelbase plus the design of the spring suspension provide for this added riding comfort.

The two-tone upholstery is an attractive feature often commented upon by the ladies, and the new and exclusive Durant radiator gives the car a very striking appearance. It will also be noted that the doors are wider, and that an improvement has been made with the use of a cadet visor.

In appearance, in performance and in general utility the Durant Four is making a wonderful name for itself.

Spain Builds 2,500 Miles of Motor Roads

MADRID, March 31.—Spain plans to build 2,500 miles of automobile roads within the next five years, sixty per cent of the mileage to be ready for use in two years. A private company is reported to be planning to build a straight line motor toll route from Madrid to Valencia.

Smart New Details In Hudson and Essex

With a view to further enhancing the effect introduced in Essex cars last year, this year's models have new, attractive full-crowned fenders, beaded along the edge.

The construction is carried back to the side-splash guards, which are deeper and more substantial, and to the running boards, which are wider, rubber-matted and handsomely bound with aluminum strips.

RADIO ESPERANTO

France has a radio Esperanto club which holds a regular monthly meeting at Sorbonne University, Paris. The fans talk about their favorite diversion only in Esperanto, and lectures on radio are given in the auxiliary language.

Auto, Aeroplane and Boat

A possible combination with people of 2000 A.D., which is one of the striking exhibits of the Ideal Home Exhibition at Olympia, in London.

OCEANS OF GAS CONSUMED IN U.S.

Eleven and Half Billion Gallons of Fuel Consumed in Traveling 150,000,000,000 Miles

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 31.—Consumption of gasoline by motor vehicles increased 12.4 per cent during 1927, the American Road Builders' Association estimated today. The number of gallons of gasoline consumed in the United States totalled 11,563,490,000 gallons, according to figures released by the association.

California led all states in the consumption of the fuel, the vehicles of that state burning 1,017,681,000 gallons. The state of New York ranked second with 892,800,000 gallons. The average national consumption per motor vehicle was approximately 550 gallons. The total number of miles traveled estimated on a basis of 13.5 miles per gallon was placed at more than 150,000,000,000 miles.

All but two states were imposing a tax on gasoline at the close of 1927, the association stated, Illinois and New Jersey having inaugurated a tax during the year. New York and Massachusetts are the only states without the tax. Accurate figures on the amount of gasoline tax were not available, but are expected to run well over $200,000,000 as compared with $187,603,231 in 1926.

TESTING MAGNETO

To test if a magneto is firing correctly, try idling the engine, noting its operation at low speed. From idling speed open the throttle quickly and hold it open for a few seconds. If the engine picks up speed as soon as the throttle is opened and does not misfire during the pickup or at high speed, the magneto is correct.

NASH ADDITIONS

Among the models added to the current Nash line in the past few months is a special six victoria and in Imperial sedan. The latter has a glass-inclosed front compartment.

TRANSCANADA ROUTE MAP READY

Royal Auto Club Issues East-West Chart for Use of Motor Travelers

In response to the increasing interest on the part of motorists in seeing the Dominion, the touring department of the Royal Automobile Club of Canada has had under way for some time the compilation of a transcontinental map, and George McNamee, general manager, announced yesterday that this is now nearing completion.

"The Eastern section of Canada has long been well known to motorists," said Mr. McNamee, "but for the section from Montreal West to Victoria no complete data has ever been compiled before. Information on that section has always been available, but now the whole data will be put into the hands of the members of the club at an early date."

In the construction of the map of the transcontinental route, it was explained, an effort had been made to make the tour as Canadian as possible. Where the main route crosses the border and takes to American roads because of their superiority over certain sections of the Canadian highways, the club gives an alternative all-Canadian route, with detailed descriptions of road conditions.

VARIOUS ROUTES

The various routes which will appear on the map were outlined. From Montreal the route proceeds along the St. Lawrence to Toronto, Hamilton and Windsor, crossing over to Detroit and running thence to Chicago, Minneapolis and St. Paul, coming back to Canada over the Jefferson Highway to Winnipeg. This is today, Mr. McNamee stated, the best route over the 1,831 miles from Montreal to Winnipeg, passing over paved or gravelled roads entirely, and it has been selected on account of road conditions and scenic interest. The alternative Canadian route given is directly northwest to Ottawa, and on via Sault Ste. Marie to Duluth by the choice of two roads.

The remainder of the route to Victoria covers over 1,748 miles. From Winnipeg the main route proceeds to Regina. From Winnipeg west and especially in Saskatchewan the highways are mostly dirt roads. These are excellent during dry weather, though it seldom occurs that a wet period makes the road impassable for a period of more than two or three days.

From Regina the transcontinental trip is varied. One route goes by way of Saskatoon and Edmonton, through Jasper Park to Calgary, taking in the Banff-Windermere Highway. Continuing form Lake Louise there is also a choice of two routes, one west via Revelstoke and Golden, when the car must be shipped by rail between these points for about 100 miles; the other from Calgary south to Cranbrook and west, though this necessitates shipping the car by ferry in two places. The main route the Automobile Club is giving to its members runs from Medicine Hat to Cranbrook and on to Spokane, Seattle, Vancouver and Victoria.

Mr. McNamee stated that inquiries as to transcontinental tours are coming in now, not only from the members of the Canadian club, but from tourists and American clubs, who write in frequently. As an example of a route mapped out for a Canadian member for this next Summer, one from Montreal to Victoria, on to Los Angeles via the Pacific Highway, from Los Angeles to Chicago via Yellowstone Park, and from Chicago back to Montreal, covering approximately 10,000 miles, was given.

Britain Fetes World's Latest Speed King

Sir Charles Wakefield, well-known British sportsman and donor of a special $5,000 prize to the holder of the world's motor speed record, gave a banquet in London in honor of Captain Malcolm Campbell, who recently established a new world's record of 207 miles per hour. The above picture was taken before the banquet and shows (left to right) Captain Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, Sir Chas. Wakefield and Major Segrave, who held the record of 203 miles per hour before Campbell exceeded the major's record.

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McLAUGHLIN-BUICK WON ALL RESPECT

Sturdy Work of Early Model in Mountaineering Fixed Owner's Patronage

A recent report by Quebec's Minister of Highways concerning the remarkable development of good roads in the province by the St. Lawrence, recalls vividly to old-time motorists days when an axe and a goo dtowing rope were necessary equipment for would-be tourists there.

The veteran McLaughlin-Buick owner went farther even than that in the matter of equipment. When he set out from Quebec for Old Orchard Beach, Maine, during the merry and muddy month of May, seventeen years ago, he hired a lumberjack to make the trip with him, equipped with axe, logging chains, and all the tools of his profession.

The journey, as recounted by its hero, J. N. Thivierge, of "Le Soleil," to a gathering of newspaper men in Montreal, was not without incident. On more than one occasion the lumberjack supercargo was compelled to cut down the small trees from the woods which bordered the road, and fill in boggy places in front of the car. It is a commentary on the volume of traffic which used the highways in those days that at one place they had to stop while the ever-useful axeman chopped through a large tree which was lying across the road.

The two-cylinder chain drive McLaughlin-Buick which the pioneer tourist was driving was not built for severe hill climbing. This was soon apparent when captain and crew arrived in the White Mountains. The method of progress was to run the car up until it stopped or got so hot that further advance was impossible, then to put a boulder behind it until it cooled, and again to take a run at the mountain. In spite of every encouragement the old vehicle balked at some of the things it was asked to do, as is evident from the fact that its driver paid about $100 for towing during the nine days it took him to make Old Orchard Beach. Mr. Thivierge recalled, however, that the towing charges were due not to any defect in the car but to such incidentals as the mud, which reached above the hubs and would have stopped a 1928 car, let alone a 1912 model.

As proof of the goodwill engendered by his McLaughlin-Buick, Mr. Thivierge is still driving a McLaughlin-Buick today.

INSPECTION OF BATTERIES NEEDED

Regular Attention to Unit's Welfare Prevents Many Driver's Troubles

The slogan among the better battery dealers these days is "preventive service," according to George Weller, of the Weller Auto Supply House, local Willard dealers.

"For some time now," he said, "we have been trying to educate car owners to look upon regular battery inspection as a preventive of future battery trouble rather than coming to us only when trouble pops up.

"Too often the motorist looks upon the battery man as one having but a single thought in mind—to sell him a new battery whenever he comes in. This impression is gained because most motorists never call on the battery man until it is actually the case that either drastic repairs or a new battery is necessary.

"Realizing the mistaken feeling in the minds of car owners in general, the Willard battery men of the country drafted a preventive service code which they call 'five-point inspection service.' It includes the five important features in inspection, which is offered the motorist by every Willard battery station; one, testing each cell; two, replacing evaporation of water; three, cleaning terminals; four, cleaning top of battery; five, tightening hold-downs and grounds when needed."

Decrees were granted in 466 divorce cases in Edinburgh, Scotland, last year.

Ability to Avoid Repairs Real Test Of Automobile

THE fact that a car will stay out of the shop is more important to the average motorist over a period of two or three years' use than the car's ability to go eighty miles an hour. It appears in the second-hand value of the car when the car is traded in. It becomes quickly recognized by the public that a certain make of car has the ability to stay out of the shop, and the value of that car in the estimation of the public is very materially increased. Besides this, there are many other qualities entering into passenger car design that have been overlooked in the speed frenzy that has characterized the industry for the past year. They are qualities that make a car a well-mannered car, namely, fine steering, an ability to park easily when driven by a woman, lightness of touch on the clutch pedal and smooth clutch engagement; a soft, smooth, firm brake, and a responsive accelerator.

Gas Consumption

The average automobile driver uses 460 gallons of gasoline a year, while his British neighbor uses but eighty-six, it has been figured out by a study of the petroleum statistics. British consumption of gasoline amounted to 877,000,000 gallons by 1,923,651 machines. The greater consumption per car here is expended by the use of higher powered cars. In Great Britain the motor cars are of smaller horsepower and obtain a high mileage.

Two cabriolets or convertible coupes are included in the Nash line of twenty-four models.

The lower to the ground an automobile is built the safer it is.

WARN DRIVERS IN LEAGUE'S LEAFLET

Recalls Axiom That Time to Prevent Accidents Is Before They Happen

Aided in its distribution efforts by the Ontario Department of Public Highways Motor Vehicles Branch and by the manufacturer of the yearly motor car licence plates, the Ontario Safety League is putting half a million leaflets into the hands of automobile owners and drivers, such leaflets not only warning about the consequences of being in an accident, but by emphasizing that "the time to prevent an accident is before it happens.' The half million circulars are worded as follows:—

Warning to automotive owners and drivers:

For your safety and safety of others, read and digest the following:

The number of fatalities and lesser automotive accidents demand an imperative remedy. The best remedy is to remove the offending driver from our streets and highways.

Note that in Ontario you are liable to be arrested, without a warrant, and lose your licence to drive:

1. For reckless or negligent driving.
2. For racing.
3. For failure to remain at scene of accident to render all possible assistance.
4. For operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

And you are liable to two years' imprisonment if in charge of an automobile or other vehicle, by wanton driving or racing, or by other wilful misconduct, or by wilful neglect, you do, or cause to be done, any bodily harm to any person.

You do not want to kill or hurt anyone nor to lose your licence.

Remember, therefore, that the time to prevent an accident is before it happens.

SCIENTISTS TEST MOTOR SKIDDING

British Experts to Conduct Experiments in National Physical Laboratories

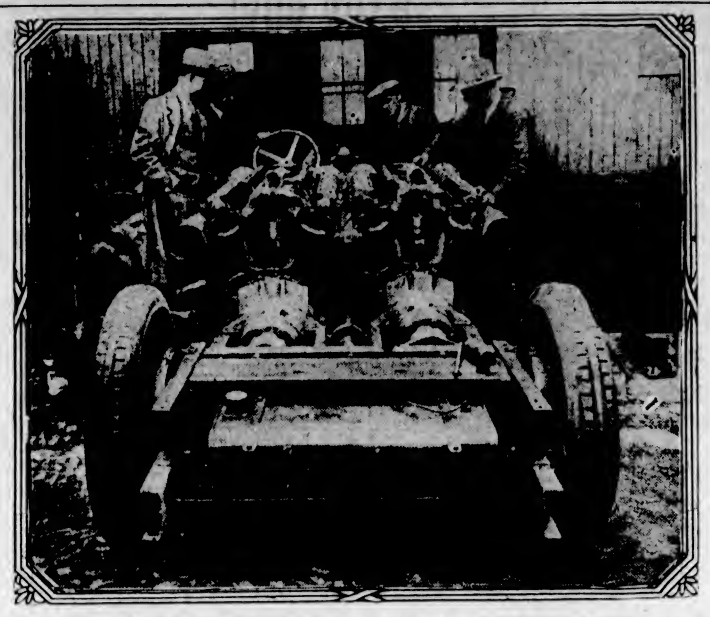
Trying to make their automobile skid as often and as dangerously as possible will be the duty of scientists of the national physical laboratory, in England, detailed to conduct investigations authorized by the British Ministry of Transport, the governmental agency which has charge of roads and traffic in England. A special automobile is being constructed capable of having its wheel surface and other factors varied in order to see what effects modification of design, tires, load and so on have on the frequency of skidding. The laboratory is constructing a special instrument to measure the amount of friction between tires and roadway at any instant, in the hope of determining just what constitutes the "skid point." At several places in the neighborhood of London the Ministry has constructed special roadways provided with surfaces of different kinds. The number of skids experienced by ordinary vehicles on these roadways will be recorded, and the new automobile especially designed for skidding will be tried out on all of these roads under all conditions of weather, as well as on ordinary highways. The scientists in charge of the research hope to discover not only what road surface is best to prevent skidding but also what kinds of tires, car design and other conditions are most nearly skid proof.

No Prospect at Present of Cutting Prices of Tires

THERE is no present indication of a reduction in the price of tires, for either original equipment or replacements. Not before July can manufacturers take advantage of the present low cost of rubber, for manufacturers and dealers are well stocked and protected against price decline until the middle of May.

Tire prices were reduced about twenty per cent last year and are now lower than ever before. It is believed the motoring public will soon be forced to replace actively on account of passing. Winter that favored motoring and brought about a heavy wear on tires. On this account manufacturers and dealers anticipated a lively Spring trade.

The 3,000 H. P. Car That Lost the Race



The "Triplex" with thirty-six cylinders in three motors, capable of developing 3,000 horsepower, driven by Ray Keech, which burst a pipe and badly scalded the driver who had to abandon the race.

ANOTHER SIX MADE BY GRAHAM-PAIGE

Sedan Coupe With Four Speeds on 114-Inch Wheelbase Shown by Builders

Graham-Paige today presents its fourth series of six cylinder cars, model 614, a 114-inch wheelbase chassis intermediate between the 610 and the 619 models, which have been in production since the first of the year. Production of the 614 models began March 20, and shipments have already reached the Graham-Paige dealer organizations in most cities.

The new models are the lowest-priced cars ever built with the internal gear four-speed transmission. The many advantages of this new transmission, which is a feature of the two larger Graham-Paige sixes and of the forthcoming eight, are thus brought within the reach of the thousands of motorists whose car purchases are made in this price class.

A noteworthy feature of the 614 model is that it embodies the distinctive characteristics that mark the larger and more costly Graham-Paige cars; that is, in design and equipment, it has not been skimped to produce a car of lower list price.

Foremost of these up-to-date features is the internal-geared four-speed transmission, which in combination with high geared rear axle, results in a marked decrease in engine speed. The result is that at high road speeds, the engine is turning over at a low rate, as compared with the average automobile. Not only does this produce marked smoothness of running, because engine roar and vibration are reduced, but it effects important economy in fuel and oil consumption.

Urge Research for Improved Headlight

Recognizing that headlamps and motor fuels offer a field for further engineering improvement, the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce voted at its Spring meeting recently to support further research by the Society of Automotive Engineers, and joining with the American Petroleum Institute in continuing the fuel research of the United States Bureau of Standards.

VALUABLE PUNCTURE

Like other motorists, R. M. Smith, of Delhi, N.Y., cussed because of a delay caused by a flat tire, but was agreeably surprised to find a small diamond the cause of his trouble. Evidently lost from a ring, it is appraised at about $40.

BLISTERS CAR

Never leave a car unnecessarily exposed to the blistering sunlight for any length of time, particularly when there may be a sudden lowering of temperature with a possible downpour of rain.

In order to get the exact ages of her pupils, the beginners' teacher requested all the little folks who had birth certificates to bring them on a certain day.

Small Marjorie took hers and handed it in with the sober remark: "Here's my 'scuse for being born."

FORD TUDOR SEDAN BREAKS RECORD

Stock Car Traveling Desert Roads Clips Minutes From Usual Running Time

Speeding along desert roads at more than a mile a minute, a new Ford Tudor Sedan, absolutely stock and completely equipped, broke three Los Angeles-Phoenix road records. On the trip to Phoenix, by way of Yuma, the drivers took the car over 145 miles of dirt and gravel roads that were rough and rutted, but maintained an average speed of 58.26 miles per hour, demonstrating the ability of the Ford motor to sustain high speed hour after hour under gruelling conditions. The time was 8 hours 14 minutes and 50 seconds, lowering the record 19 minutes 10 seconds.

The return trip to Los Angeles by way of Blythe took the car over 254 miles of dirt and gravel roads even rougher than those encountered on the trip to Phoenix. The former record was lowered 1 hour, 39 minutes and 50 seconds, the running time being 8 hours, 50 minutes and 10 seconds. Three Los Angeles Ford dealers took turns driving. They were Dud R. Day, of Laurence & Day, Inc., Jack Frost and Frank French of Frost & French. The test was officially timed by Western Union.

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LET IGNITION GO WHEN COASTING

Switching Off Current Not Advisable When Going Down Hill on Compression

Within a few weeks people will be getting out into the open country and thousands of drivers will be wondering if it pays to switch off the ignition when going down hill in high gear. Just to save the mental effort of such speculation, let it be said here and now that the only advantage in switching off the ignition is to the repairman.

So long as the car is in gear and the machine in motion down hill gas is being sucked into the cylinders, even if the throttle is closed. Remember that from the position at the wheel the driver is able merely to close the throttle to the idling position and that much gas is getting into the cylinders despite all efforts to keep it out. However, the engine needs more gas and air than it gets with the throttle in the idling position, so there is a natural braking action. With a modern engine the average driver can't tell the difference between ignition on and ignition off under these conditions. But if he keeps the ignition off, there is an accumulation of unburned gas vapor in the exhaust and the muffler. A clever driver can clear the exhaust of this gas by running a few moments with the clutch out so that the engine comes to rest and stops supplying the unburned mixture to the exhaust, but the average man at the wheel is more apt to snap on the ignition and suddenly release a charge of burning gas into the gas-filled exhaust.

Most mufflers are blown out in this way. Incidentally, with the increased compression of the newer engines, there never was a time when switching off the ignition to aid braking was less necessary. High compression is an excellent natural brake.

HEADLIGHTS FOR LIGHTHEADS

"My wife has run away with a man in my car!"

"Good heavens! Not your new car?"

Traffic Officer: What's the big idea, miss? Don't you know you can't make anything but a right hand turn at this corner?

Miss: But, officer, I'm left-handed.

She: Freddie hasn't been out an evening or taken a drink for three weeks.

He: Turned over a new leaf?

She: No! Turned over a new car.

"Do you drive your own car?"

"No, I have a son at college."

A coupe may be small and inconvenient, but at least nobody can drive it from the back seat.

Holmes: A slow town, is it?

Watson: Slow! the speed cops there ride bicycles!

Flub: What caused that collision today?

Dub: Two motorists after the same pedestrian.

Motorist: I'm sorry I ran over your hen. Would a dollar make it right?

Farmer: Well, better make it two. I have a rooster that was mighty fond of that hen, and the shock might kill him, too.

"Listen," remarked the exasperated driver, over his shouiedr, Lindbergh got to Paris without any advice from the back seat."

Motor Notes

The Atkinson Motor Co. received, last Thursday, a carload of the new Durant models, four sedans and a coupe. Another carload will be delivered this week.

McRae-Meldram Motors report the sale of twelve Pontiacs and four Oaklands during March. Pontiac and Oakland sales throughout Canada show enormous increases, they report.

A carload of Dodge Bros.' recently announced Standard Six models will be delivered in Victoria on Thursday, according to word received by the local dealers, A. E. Humphries Motors Limited.

More than 10,000 persons visited the Studebaker factories at South Bend, Indiana, last year. During July and August the visitors ran over 300 a day.

The National Motor Co. will receive on Tuesday two carloads of new Fords. Tudors and Roadsters will make up this shipment, which will make three carloads received by the local agency of the new cars.

Shipments of 39,123 Willys-Knight and Whippet cars in January and Feruary showed an increase of forty-nine per cent, compared with shipments of 26,375 cars during the same two months of last year.

"If an improvement in business on Vancouver Island can be judged by the sale of trucks for commercial purposes, I think conditions are considerably better," said Mr. Stan. Wallace, of the Consolidated Motors Limited, in reporting the sale of more White and Reo trucks in the past three months than the whole of last year. Since January 1, over thirty White trucks have been sold in British Columbia.

Never wear good gloves when testing the battery with a hydrometer or when filling it with water. Acid that spashes upon the leather quickly eats it to shreds and once it gets a start there is no stopping it until the whole glove is worthless.

Some time ago it was suggested that a certain Scottish peer, who is not remarkable for his intelligence, should be given the Order of the Thistle. When the name was put before the high authority who decides the offering of such honors, that authority said: "Oh, no, we mustn't give him the Thistle. He would eat it!"

ENDURANCE TEST IMPORTANT ITEM

Studebaker Tract for Trying Out Cars' Performance Is Unique, Says Writer

Laboratory tests are only part of automotive research procedure. Extensive tests of endurance are always under way as the test fleet of cars amasses thousands of miles of carefully observed running over all kinds of country.

Endurance and performance runs are also part of the regular routine at the Studebaker proving ground which comprises an 800-acre tract of land. Provided with a three mile speed course, and equipped with all the necessary apparatus and facilities for practical engineering investigations, the Studebaker proving ground is unique in being the only automobile testing ground of its kind devoted exclusively to the refinement of the product of a single manufacturer.

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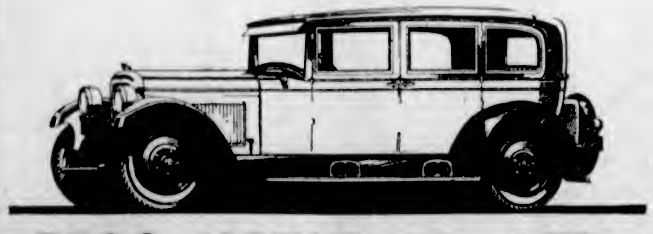
The exterior is done in beige and brown in the new Nash deep-lustre finish. The big, built-in, nickel-strapped, custom trunk at the rear is very decorative—*and very practical*, when you prepare to tour.

Wire wheels, including two side-carried spares and tires, are optional on the 4-door Coupe, at slight extra cost.



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MINING NEWS

RESULTS SHOW BETTERMENT

Consolidated Had Another Successful Year — Increase Shown in Working Capital

SULLIVAN MINE COSTS DECLINE

The annual report of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada, Limited, indicates a strong balance sheet position, there being an increase of nearly $2,000,000 in net working capital, which is shown at close to $17,000,000. The report shows that improvement continues to be made in the cost of mining, milling and smelting, and that the year closed with unfilled order far in excess of stocks on hand, with improving European conditions suggesting further improvement in demand with some hope of better prices.

Sales for the year were valued at $31,438,566 as against $32,650,727 in 1926, and after deducting various operating charges the net operating revenue was $14,608,942 as against $15,641,882.

Other income was higher at $776,441 as against $479,172, bringing total income to $15,385,383.

After deducting depreciation, depletion and other charges, including $1,388,989 for taxes, there remained net profit of $11,750,970, equal to 92.37 per cent on the $12,721,575 of capital stock outstanding at the end of the year, $23.09 per share on the 508,863 shares. This compares with 94.66 or $23.66 per share on a slightly smaller capitalization outstanding at the end of 1926.

Mr. S. G. Blaylock, the general manager, states:

"From an operating viewpoint, results obtained in 1927 surpass those of 1926 in every way. In each department operating costs show a reduction and metallurgical recoveries a gain. The gross tonnage of metal produced was very much larger.

"The coarse crushing plants at Moyie and Tadanac were nearly completed and will be ready by the time they are needed.

"The greatest progress made during the year is undoubtedly in the underground work at the Sullivan mine. The cost of mining a ton of ore has been reduced approximately 25 per cent. At the same time the whole appearance of the mine indicates a higher state of efficiency and promises further reduction in cost in 1928."

World's Coal Output

The world's production of coal of all grades in 1927 was 1,475,000,000 metric tons, an increase of eight per cent over the preceding year, according to preliminary estimates by the United States Bureau of Mines. This total, which constitutes a new record, includes 197,000,000 tons of lignite and 1,278,000,000 tons of bituminous and anthracite coal. Production in the United States showed a drop of 8.7 per cent from 1926, owing to the falling off in export demand, the strike in the union soft coal fields, and the lower rate of industrial consumption. After the end of the seven months' strike of British coal miners in 1926, the European countries began to build up their depleted stocks, and most areas showed gains in production for 1927. Great Britain more than doubled her 1926 output in 1927, and Germany showed an increase of seven per cent. Smaller gains were shown by Belgium, France, Poland and Russia.

GROUP SHIPS DEEP ORE TO SMELTER

Property on Sandon Hills Is Praised by Joseph Brandon, With Assurance of High Grade Ore

A shipment of seventy-five tons of milling ore from the 1700-foot level of the Canadian and Brandon group of the Sandon district is now on its way to Trail for treatment, says Joseph Brandon. Persistence of ore at depth is not confined to the Silversmith, Whitewater, Ruth Hope and Noble Five, Mr. Brandon intimated—depth is a Slocan characteristic.

This particular level, for instance, now shipping ore to be milled before smelting, has previously sent high grade ore to Trail on which the smelter returns showed 138 ounces in silver and seventy-one per cent lead per ton, confirmation of the fact that values also go down.

Although not a large shipper, the Canadian and Brandon has been a steady one, Mr. Brandon states, its output having increased year by year for the last five years, and it now ranks, proportionately to men engaged and tonnage produced, among the first group of Slocan high grade ore shippers.

MUCH ORE BLOCKED OUT

The property is located on Silver Ridge on the divide between Sandon, from which it is two and a half miles distant, and Four-Mile Creek, being six miles up the creek from Silverton. Between 4,000 and 5,000 feet of development work has been done upon it, Mr. Brandon says, this exposing several fine showings of clean ore and a vast quantity of good mill ore. There are three veins altogether, but most of the ore is blocked out in No. 1.

"This vein, in No. 1 tunnel, is exceptionally strong and varies in width from twelve to fifteen feet," Mr. Brandon said. "The tunnel or drift is approximately 600 feet from portal to face, and is about 200 feet below the summit of the hill, and the stoping ground from this level to the surface will easily average 150 feet in depth. Smelter returns from shipments from this level have gone from 105 to 138 ounces in silver, while lead averages over sixty-six per cent, and zinc, two per cent. Culled from our clean lead shipments, we have stowed away in our stopes several thousand tons of concentrating ore that will assay twenty ounces in silver and ten per cent lead."

The latest shipment from No. 1 tunnel had returns of 126 ounces in silver, 65 per cent lead and 3 per cent zinc, Mr. Brandon states, these returns being received just a few days ago.

Concentrating ore in the stopes of No. 1 tunnel has not so far been realized on, the present shipment of seventy-five tons from the 1,700-foot level being the first of that character or ore to be made. That Nos. 2 and 3 veins have surface ore in clean-cut leads, traceable for several hundred feet, is also stated by Mr. Brandon, who predicts that "the Canadian and Brandon group will be a real mine."

OLD PROSPECTS MAY REVIVE

Properties Close to Coast Cities May Prove Valuable With Modern Metallurgical Methods

MORE PROSPECTING TRAILS REQUIRED

"I have been particularly struck by the number of mineral showings both on Vancouver Island and the Mainland," says Mr. George A. Clothier, mining engineer for the western district. "A large percentage of these properties have been Crown granted, necessitating a considerable amount of work, but in few cases has there been sufficient work to prove or disprove the worth of the property. Having obtained Crown grants, the owners have done nothing further on these properties and they are therefore in the same condition as twenty or thirty years ago. The fact that no producing mines were developed from these prospects has discouraged the prospector, forced the owners and the operators out of the district or compelled them to take up other ways of making a living or go to greener hills for prospecting.

OLD PROSPECTS REVIVED

"It is only reasonable to believe that many of these old prospects and partially developed properties will have very attractive possibilities in the light of modern metallurgical methods, such as the flotation process. Many properties whose ore was not sufficiently high grade to ship twenty years ago will undoubtedly develop commercial tonnages of milling ore and justify exploitation. The fact that the Marble Bay Mines on Texada Island mined ore from the 1,700-foot level; that the Britannia on Howe Sound is opened up and producing at 2,200 feet below the croppings; that the Sunloch on Jordan River is more than 500 feet under the surface showings; and that the Old Sport at Elk Lake, known as Coast Copper, on the northern part of the Island, is being developed on the 1,200-foot level, would seem to give some assurance that similar conditions will obtain on other properties.

"Another very noticeable feature is the fact that the majority of the prospects are on or within a comparatively short distance of tidewater, which means that the higher ground in the interior, which is the main range or backbone of the Island, and therefore holding better conditions for the deposition of ore bodies, has been inaccessible and comparatively little prospected.

"The reason for this, I think, is that more prospecting trails are required in this district. The undergrowth, both on Vancouver Island and the Mainland, is so dense that trails must be built from the heads of the inlets into the hills to enable prospectors to penetrate to the more favorable prospecting areas. The further application of the Mines Development Act, which has worked to such great advantage in all parts of the Province in promoting and encouraging prospecting and developing, will undoubtedly assist this district."

DEVELOPMENT DUE AT BEAVERDELL

Kelowna and Penticton Men Take Over Properties in That District

Kelowna and Penticton capital has taken over the Highland Lass and Highland Fraction claims at Beaverdell and considerable development is expected shortly on these properties.

The two claims were originally owned by Mrs. Hallett, of Greenwood, and J. Bell, of Beaverdell. The Chrysler Mining Syndicate of Penticton held an option for half interest, an option on the other half being taken by the Highland Chief mining interests, also of Penticton. When these options expired, J. D. McIntyre, of Penticton, made a purchase on a royalty basis. He has turned over his interests to the Highland Lass, Limited, a newly formed company, and has become one of its largest stockholders.

Kelowna capitalists took approximately half of the stock, most of the balance being held in Penticton.

Suitable machinery will be obtained shortly and it is believed that considerable work will be done during the Spring and Summer.

The two claims are adjacent to the Bell group controlled by Dunc McIntosh, and are close to the Sally properties. It is contended by mining men on the hill that the Bell main lead runs through the Highland Lass. If this proves to be the case, the claim will prove a very valuable one.

MR. L. S. McGILL HOME

Reports Results of Visit During Which He Came to Victoria

In the mining columns of The Colonist recently an interview with Mr. L. S. McGill, of Smithers, appeared when he visited Victoria, en route home from the annual convention of the Northwest Mining Association.

While in the South, Mr. McGill completed arrangements for the taking up once more by Mr. J. F. Duthie, of Seattle, of the Mamie property on Hudson Bay Mountain, owned by the estate of the late John A. Aldrich, well-known Smithers prospector who died two years ago. The Mamie is a gold-zinc property, immediately adjoining the other Duthie holdings and has been developed in the past largely by Mr. Duthie. At the time the Federal Mining Company was in control, the previous option on the Aldrich property was dropped.

Another deal completed by Mr. McGill while in the South was on the Rico-Aspen group, another well-known Hudson Bay Mountain property near Evelyn. This group has been developed in recent years by A. C. Garde, the mining engineer, to the extent of some $20,000. There are a number of showings on the property including silver-lead-zinc showings with high values, grey copper in running up to 600 ounces in silver, and also gold-silver showings that may prove to be of large size.

The new deal is a three-year option with $1,200 cash paid. Money for a development campaign this year and next has also been provided and Mr. Garde will be in charge of this work, which is due to start as soon as weather conditions permit.

ALICE ARM IS OPTIMISTIC

LA ROSE MAY BE IMPORTANT ASSET TO DEVELOPMENT OF PROPERTY

Samples of Ore Have Been Awarded Honors Wherever Exhibited

The acquiring of control of the stock of the LaRose Mining Co. by outside capital as published in The Alice Arm Herald last week, marks another step in the progress of the mining industry of Alice Arm.

During the past few years the company has been handicapped by not having sufficient funds for the development of the property on a scale large enough to pay dividends. From reliable information received this situation has been overcome, and when development and mining commences this Spring it will be on a much larger scale than heretofore.

The LaRose is one of the best known properties on the Coast. Samples of its ore have won the highest honors wherever exhibited, and at the present time a considerable tonnage of high grade ore is available in the mine for shipment.

M. W. Jasper, who is a mining engineer of high repute, and who has acquired control, will be in charge of operations. Under his supervision and with sufficient funds available, the LaRose mine should develop into a steady ore producer.

The property is situated eight miles from Alice Arm, on Haystack Mountain, and about one and a half miles from the Dolly Vardon railway. An aerial tramway about one mile in length is all that is necessary to transport ore to the railway.

The recommencing of operations at the LaRose will have a beneficial effect on the whole Alice Arm district, especially in the immediate vicinity, where several properties are known to have ore showings similar to the LaRose, especially the Bunker Hill and Speculator, which were owned by the late J. O. Trethewey.

Latest News From Wall Street

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 31.—Reviews find more spottiness marketing trade conditions. Business tone, however, is better, although turn is unevenly distributed.

The outflow of gold during March exceeded that of any previous month in the history of the country with $93,191,000 exported through the port of New York alone.

New Haven net for last year is $10,432,661, total is $1,580,587 gain over 1926, despite drop in operating revenues.

Gas and Electric merger seen in New York area. Consolidated and Brooklyn Edison reported as discussing a basis of union.

Holders of rail securities yesterday found encouragement in the disclosure that the aggregate net railway operating income of the first seventy-one class one railroads to report earnings was $64,902,000, an increase of 1.9 per cent over February of last year.

Merger of the Pennsylvania Dixie Cement Corporation and the North American Cement, to be known as the General Cement Corporation, will be acted on by the stockholders when plans are completed.

Considerable favorable comment was heard on American Steel Foundries.

Revival in copper issues was stated by Anaconda. The latter was helped by renewal of higher dividend reports.

If anticipated stabilization in the rubber market is effected Goodrich is in the best position to profit therefrom.

Buying of Westinghouse has been resumed by the same interests who were responsible for the last brisk advance.

Willys Overland cuts price $150 on all Willys-Knight standard six models. Company has unfilled orders for 40,000 cars to increase production to 2,000 cars daily.

Henry Ford, sailing on a pleasure trip, says motor industry faces its greatest year. Says Ford production by July 1 will be 5,000 cars daily against 1,700 at present.

White Motor reports year's consolidated loss $395,341 after all charges against net income $2,566,291 in 1926.

Radio steady advance was not entirely divorced from the move in General Electric as a very important announcement concerning Radio affairs is expected within the next few days.

Vacuum Oil reports year end December 31 net profit after income tax and plant and inventory depreciation equal to $10.17 a share, against $10.11 a share in 1926.

Strike of employees at General Motors' plant at Oshawa, Ontario, ends with employees to resume work Monday at old wage scale.

Inspiration Consolidated Copper reports year ended December 31 net income $729,694 after depreciation, but before depletion equal to 62c a share against 1.11 a share in 1926. Surplus after dividend $434,203, against deficit $1,053,038

South Pennsylvania Oil Company earned $2.16 a common share in 1927 vs. $3.94 in 1926.

Bradstreets note trade and industrial reports more spotted, wholesale and jobbing trade fall and about equal to a year ago.

Rubber exchange of New York membership sold for $12,000, a new high record and an advance of $1,000 over last previous sale.

H. C. Folger resigns as chairman and director of Standard Oil of New York.

General trade reflects maintenance of conservative operations and gradual broadening; output of steel holds at high level, according to Duns' Review.

PRICES SHOW UPWARD MOVE DURING WEEK

Better Feeling Is Reported Prevalent in Eastern Canadian Stock Market With Further Strength Noted

NEW YORK MARKET REMAINS BULLISH

Many Profiting Handsomely From Trading in Nickel Group — Good Buying in Evidence

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

TORONTO, March 31.—Price movements during this week's market have been generally upward, and further strength noted. A much better feeling is prevalent regarding the Canadian market than heretofore. New York, however, is still going through an exceedingly heavy bull market and added increases to brokerage loans have been recorded. The situation in the New York market is becoming over extended to the more cautious students of the market, however, Canadian business warrants more lively markets and higher prices in certain directions.

Particular notice has been attracted during the week to the shares of International Nickel, Cockshutt Plow, Tamblyn common, Brompton and the Brazilian issues. Nickel opened the week at 94 and the high around 98. It has had several sharp moves and at the close on the week was advanced to its high of 98 on the move which is a desirable double high as it created it over the past two weeks. Good buying is in evidence not only locally but in New York. If it is pushed over $100 it will no doubt catch a large number of shorts and move ahead rapidly. Its point of resistance seems to be within a point or so of $100 where a number of orders undoubtedly are waiting to be filled. Nickel is providing an excellent trading medium for market followers where a spread of five points in a few days occurs and those who can catch the swings are profiting handsomely by it.

COCKSHUTT PLOW

Due to what looks like pool operations, Cockshutt Plow has advanced from around 109, where it has been temporarily inactive for some time back, to sell over 120. It has slipped back since and now ranges between 114 and 120. The trading in this stock has been mostly professional in character.

TAMBLYNS

This stock has advanced during the previous week. The stock was pushed over 30 and moved quickly through heavy buying to 34 1-2. Its present price is around 33. Buying due to rumors of a dividend expected on the common shortly and further financing to be done for more stores. However, the president of the company announces there would be no further financing and the common dividend could not be looked for for some time.

BROMPTON

This stock furnished the market with the most spectacular movement seen for some time. It opened the week around 57, advanced in one day to 62. On Wednesday the stock opened eight points above the close of the night before. Rumors from Montreal, where a good deal of the buying originated, that this concern would most likely amalgamate with Wayagamack, and other similar concerns. As yet none of these stories have been corroborated and the present move is thought to be more or less professional. It has slipped back to close the week at 65. The other paper stocks have shown considerable strength and there is a large interest in this class of investment.

BRAZILIAN ISSUES

Brazilian issues have shown great strength coming as it did at the expiry time for the rites. The rites sold up from 21 to 25. The new stock advanced from 54 to 59. The old is also extremely strong and has moved from 214 to 231, and it would not be surprising to see the new, when the rites are cleaned up and the old stock transferred into the new, advance and show good appreciation over a period of time. The company has shown each month for some time, progress in their operations, and enlarged earnings over the month previous. This cannot help but be felt and shown in the next statement of the company.

THE OILS

The oils have been inclined to be quiet. British American Oil was the most active, closely followed by International Pete and Imperial Oil. Imperial moved from around 59 to 63, closing at 61. International Petroleum touched 39 1-4, closing around 38-1-2, and British American is steady around 38.

THE DISTILLERY ISSUES

The distillery issues were inclined to be easier, Walkers selling down from 63 1-2 to around 62. Canada Malting eased off from 37 to 36. Carlings was stronger on talk of amalgamation with Cosgrave, to 35. Seagrams moved up a point from 18 to 19 before being taken off the board, and the new Distillers Corporation-Seagrams came on. A new listing of note in this group was Canada Dry, the current market being in the vicinity of 64. There is a large Canadian interest in this company and the listing should be a popular one.

MINING STOCKS

Mining stocks are showing signs of activity at times. Kirkland issues fairly strong. The prominent issues of Northern Manitoba, Sherritt Gordon and Hudson Bay, we think show promise for profit.

	High	Low	Close
Abitibi, com	62¼	60	61¼
Alberta Pacific	62¾	61	62
Alberta Pacific, pfd	100½	99½	100
American Sales Book	74	73	74
Arnold	13	12	13
Asbestos	20	20	20
Atlantic Sugar	21	20½	21
Barcelona	78	72	77
Bell Telephone	165½	164	165
Brazilian	221	214½	330
B.I. Fish, com.	13½	11½	12½
Brompton	65	56	62½
Burt	70	65	66
Building Prods.	43	42	42½
Can. Bread	160	160	160
Can. Oil	54½	54	54½
Christie Brown	120	115	119
Canners	17½	17	17½
Gas	202	202	202
Cosmos	30	16	20
City Dairy	53	48	53
Alcohol	46¾	42½	43¾
Dominion Stores	116	115	117½
Famous Players, pfd.	103	96¾	96¾
Goodyear	108	107	108
Hayes Wheel	25	24	24
King Edward	59	58½	59
Kelvinator	11¾	10	11¾
Record Candy	44	42½	44
Lobiaw	84	82	82½
MacKay, com	122	116	122
Maple Leaf, com	112	110	111
Massey	44¾	40¼	43
McKinnon	26¾	28	28¾
Muirheads	14½	14	14½
Page Hersey, com	98	91¾	95
Page Hersey, pfd	180	182	180
Pressed Metals	62	60½	61
Photo Eng.	36	34½	36
Shredded Wheat	68	67½	67½
Steel of Canada	189	188	189
Twin City	45	44	44
W.C. Flour	41	40	40½
Winnipeg Electric	122¾	116½	122
BANKS			
Commerce	285	281¼	285
Imperial	250½	249½	250½
Montreal	255	250	255
Nova Scotia	288	288	288
Royal	358	355	358
Standard	246	242	246
Toronto	260	259	259½
UNLISTED STOCKS			
Beacon	13¾	13½	13¾
Brit. Amn.	28½	27¾	28
Imp. Tob	6	6¼	6
Int. Pete	28¾	27¼	28¾
Imp. Oil	64	58¾	62½
McColl	24¾	22¾	24½
Nor Baking	45	44½	44½
Can. Malting	37	36	36½
Carlings	35¼	34½	35½
Cockshutt	122	109½	117
Tamblyns	148	135	146
G. & W.	28½	28½	28
Seagrams	18¾	18½	18
Walkers	63¼	62	62½
MINES			
Aconda	27	32	37
Ajax	54½	51	51
Amulet	279	350	251
Apex	7	5½	6
Arex	20½	16	16
Aros	19	18	18½
Atlas	2½	3	4
Arno	32¾	18	19
Baldwin	2	2	3
Barry	125	118	122
Beaver	170	182	165
Bidgood	110	65	109
Buck	7½	7	7
Bathurst	36	37	37
Can. Lorraine	12¾	11½	12
Capitol	14	13	12
Castle	56½	57	56
Corona	8½	7	8
Crown	58	55	55
Coniagas	5.05	4.85	5.00
Doma	10.51	10.00	10.35
Duprat	8	7	7¼
Golden	33	22½	33
Grover	11	9¾	9¾
Granada	26	22	33
Goodfish	54½	51¾	52
Goldhill	25	33	22
Hollinger	17¼	16¾	16¾
Howey	129	114	118
Keeley	66	64	65
Kirk Hunton	17	15	15
Kirk Lake	315	200	202
Kootenay	33	30	30
Lake Shore	24½	23¾	24
Laval	20	15	15
Macassa	44	40	40
Malartic	150	125	126
McIntyre	37.65	36.50	36.50
Mill Crest	8	6	8½
Mining Corpn.	260	250	255
Murphy	41	35	38
McDougall	61	56	58
Newbec	42	38	38
Nipissing	4.85	4.80	4.80
Pawnee	51	50	51
Pioneer	67	60	60
Potter	15¾	14	14½
Premier	3.00	2.65	2.83
Realty	26½	25	26½
Ribago	12	10	10½
San Antonio	40	37	38
St. Anthony	40	40	40
Sudbury Basin	10.80	10.00	10.10
Sylvanite	225	220	220
Teck	870	840	840
Tough	56	51	62
Treadwell	27	26	27
Vipond	82	76	78
Windfall	18	16	16
Wright Hargreaves	5.05	4.50	4.57
UNLISTED			
Abana	292	350	350
Amity	32	31	32
Bedford	49	47	48¾
Manitoba	152	127	148
Coast	43	42½	42½
Lucky Jim	42	38	38
Nickel	88	81	87
Jackson	80	74	75½
Noranda	18¾	17½	17½
Hudson Bay	17¾	16¾	17
Pend	22½	17¼	20½
Sherritt Gordon	740	710	740
Rio Mo.	53	50	50
Sunloch	400	400	400
Mandy	345	310	345

MONTREAL WEEKLY STOCKS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	High	Low
Abitibi Power	81¾	78
Alberta Pacific Grain	65¾	60
Alberta Pacific Grain, pfd.	100	98½
Asbestos	31¼	29½
Asbestos, pfd.	94	91
Bell Telephone	165	164
Brazilian Traction	232	213½
B.C. Fish	12½	10
Brompton	71	59¾
Canada Bronze	63¾	59½
Can. Car & Fdy.	53	50
Can. Car & Fdy., pfd.	85	84
Can. Ind. Alcohol	44	42
Can. Steamships	37	35¾
Can. Steamships, pfd.	92¾	92
Curd	103	99
Dominion Bridge	78½	74½
Dominion Glass	132½	130
Dominion Textile	135	122
Howard Smith	140	108
Howard Smith, pfd.	118	117
Intl. Nickel	88	80
Lyall Construction Co.	78	61½
Massey-Harris	44	40½
National Breweries	120	117½
Ogilvie Milling	395	390
Penmans	101	101
Penmans, pfd.	105	105
Price Bros.	80	86
Power Corpn.	81	78
Quebec Power	80	67½
Shawinigan Power	87½	84
Sherwin Williams	161	175
Spanish River, pfd.	133	123
St. Lawrence Flour Mills	38	35
St. Maurice Power	103¾	102¼
Steel of Canada	180	168
Steel of Canada, pfd.	165	165
Wayagamac	111	67
Winnipeg Electric	124	119½
Winnipeg Electric, pfd.	100	107
Canadienne	164	146
Bank of Commerce	283	283
Bank of Montreal	251	250
Bank of Nova Scotia	390	288
Royal Bank	359	358

MONTREAL WEEKLY CURBS

	High	Low
Altendu	14	14
B.A. Oil	38½	27¾
Brewing & Dist.	18	16
Can. Nth. Power	81½	80
Can. Cement	33	31½
Can. Cement, pfd	100	98½
Com. Alcohol	38½	37½
Cosgrave	8¾	8½
Dominion Stores, Ltd	118	110
Dryden Paper	45¾	41
Dom. Eng. Works	85¾	81½
Eastern Dairies	57	50
Hiram Walker	84¼	82
Intl. Pete	39¾	27¾
Imperial Tobacco	8	8¾
Intl Utilities "A"	48½	46
Intl. Utilities "B"	8¾	8
Manitoba Power	132	110
Natl Steel Car	44	42¾
Seagram	20½	20
St. Lawrence Paper	109	104

Mining on Canal

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OTTAWA, March 31.—Within a few minutes of adjournment for the Easter recess, third reading was given in the House late yesterday afternoon to a bill extending the provision of the Copper Bounties Act until June 30, 1931. The effect of the measure would be to continue payment of bounties on copper bars on rods at the rate of one-half of one per cent per pound. The bill will be one of those to be dealt with by the Senate following the Easter holidays.

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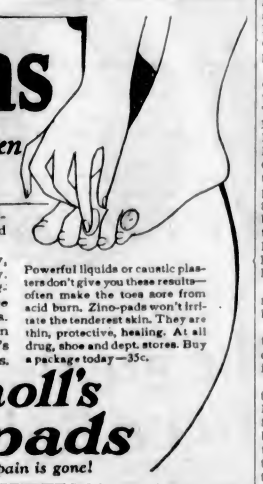

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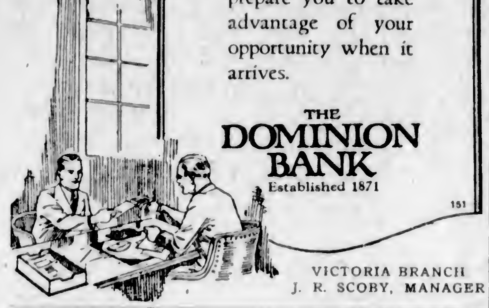

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SATURDAY'S SALES TOTAL 2,501,350

Bonds Active and Generally Firm—St. Paul Issues Again Turned Over in Large Amounts

NEW YORK, March 3.—Vivid contrasts were drawn in the stock market today, the most active and one of the most bewildering of all Saturday sessions in the history of the exchange. Prices of leading issues flared up and died down over a wide range, as traders sweated and toiled to execute trades totalling 2,501,300 shares and marking the fourth Saturday on record in which sales have exceeded 2,000,000. The first hour was largely another bull market until profit-taking and bear selling attacked Radio and drove it down as much as four points between sales, until it had reached the day's bottom at 185, a loss of ten points. A late rally was not very effectual and the stock closed only a point above its low level.

General Motors likewise were heavily hammered after an early advance of nearly three points to 194⅞, and tumbled down to 187 at the close for a net loss of five. Brunswick-Collender, which soared into prominence yesterday was tripped up in the midst of a new advance, and retreated five points from the day's high at 42½, with a loss of three points.

There was nothing in the day's news to inspire operations in either direction. More than fifty new peaks for the year or longer were established before the wave arose, and when the final transaction was recorded, gains and losses of one and nine points or more were about evenly balanced.

The stock ticker was wholly unequal to the occasion, running well behind the market from the start, and printing the last transaction on the tape only one minute short of an hour after the two-hour session came to its end.

Brooklyn Edison led the public utilities with an advance of 4½ points to a new high at 149½. Nearly all this improvement, however, was wiped out in heavy profit-taking toward the close.

General Electric made a new peak at 161¼, but lost all its gains, and Westinghouse Manufacturing closed 5½ points below its new high of 112, established in the early trading.

Rails were quiet with the exception of another burst of strength in the new St. Paul common, which closed at its record high of 35, up 1¼ on the day. Independent Motors were under heavy pressure, particularly Hudson, Hupp and Mack Trucks, with losses of more than two points.

The bond market was active and firm as a whole. Few individual features stood out.

St. Paul bonds again were turned over in large amounts, but the price showed little variation from Friday's close. Andes Copper 7's dropped a point late in the session after moving up within striking distance of its peak price.

Public utilities were firm, but transactions were not numerous. Rails were dull, with nominal realizing in Missouri Pacific, Katy and Northern Pacific issues. Seaboard liens again turned downward, but the losses were moderate.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 31.—Foreign exchanges steady.
France—3.93⅝; cables 3.92⅝.
Italy—5.28 1-16, cables 5.28 5-16.
Belgium—13.65.
Germany—23.80.
Holland—40.24½.
Norway—26.70.
Sweden—26.84.
Denmark—26.80.
Switzerland—19.26½.
Spain—16.64.
Greece—1.32.
Poland—.1135.
Czechoslovakia—2.96⅝.
Jugoslavia—1.76.
Austria—1410.
Rumania—.62.
Argentina—42.75.
Brazil—12.02.
Tokio—47.85.
Shanghai—62.43⅝.
Montreal—100.10 15-10.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 31.—Demand 487⅝; cables 488 2-16; sixty-day bills on banks 484 1-16.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 485⅝; selling 488⅞.

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	122 4	122-4	122-4
Allied Chem	164	162-4	163
Amerada Corpn.	35-8	35	35
Am. Can	66 8	65 4	65-6
Am. Car & Fdy	107	106-3	106-3
Am. For. Power	23-3	23-2	23-3
Am. Locomotive	109 6	109 6	109-6
Am. Smelters	190 7	187 4	188-4
Am. Steel Fdy	70 2	67	69 7
Am. Sugar	71	70 7	71
Am. Sum. Tob	54-5	54-5	54-5
Am. Tel. & Tel	181 4	181 2	181 2
Am. Tobacco	169 3	169 3	169-3
Am. Tobacco B	169	169	169
Am. Woolens	23 3	23 3	23 2
Anaconda	63	61-1	61-6
Armour A	14 6	14 1	14 1
Ass'd Dry Goods	42 2	42 2	43 2
Atlantic Gulf	40-4	40-4	40 4
Atlantic Refinery	117 2	114	116
Atchison	190-7	190	190-5
Baldwin Loco	268	266	268
Baltimore & Ohio	116	115 2	116
Bangor & Ar'st'k	73-4	73-4	73-4
Bethlehem Steel	59	56-2	56 2
Brooklyn Manhat	66 1	66-1	66-1
California Pack'g	74	74	74
California Pete	26 4	26 4	26-4
Calumet & Ariz	105	103	103
Canadian Pacific	213 7	212 6	213
Cerro De Pasco	67 7	67 4	67 4
Certain-teed Prod	56-2	58 2	56 2
Chesapeake & Ohio	192	192	192
Chile Copper	41 1	40-4	40-7
Chi. Gt. Western	13 2	12-6	12-6
Chi., Mil & St P	35	34 4	34-6
Chi. & Northwest	67-4	67-2	67-4
Chi., R.I. & Pac	116-5	115 6	116
Chrysler Motor	71-6	67-6	69
Coco Cola	143	142	143
Congoleum Nairn	27 6	26-5	26 5
Col. Fuel & Iron	76-2	75-5	76
Columbia Gas	94-7	93 4	92-7
Cons Gas	147-5	146	146 1
Cont. Oil	17-1	17-1	17 1
Cont. Motor	11-4	11 2	11-2
Corn Products	79	77-3	78-2
Crucible Steel	86-5	86	86
Curtiss Aero	67-3	66 6	66 6
Davison Chemical	40-4	40 4	40-4
Dodge Bros.	22	21-4	21 5
Dodge Bros., pfd.	72 4	72-1	72-4
Dupont Powder	264	264	384
Eastman Kodak	171	170	170
Elec. Power	37-4	37-2	37 2
Elec. Refrigerator	20-5	19 6	19-7
Erie	57	57	57
Famous Players	119	117-6	117-6
Foundation Co	46-2	46-2	46 2
Fox Film "A"	78-4	77-2	76
Fleischmann Co.	72-4	71	71 2
Freeport, Texas	62 7	62 6	62-6
Gabriel Snubbers	19-5	19-5	19-5
General Am. Tank	68 7	68 4	66 4
General Asphalt	69 4	66 4	66 5
General Cigar	67-1	86-1	86-1
Gen. Electric	161-4	156 4	156-5
Gen. Motors	194-7	166	186
Gen. Ry Signal	87 3	86-6	96-6
Gold Dust	97-4	95-6	95-6
Goodrich Rubber	66-7	86-2	66-2
Granby	50-3	49 7	50
Great North., Ore	22-5	22 4	22 4
Great North., pfd.	102-4	101-4	101-4
Gt. West Sug	33	22-7	32-7
Greene Cananea	130-7	126-1	126-1
Gulf States Steel	60	59-4	58 4
Houston Oil	152-8	149	150
Howe Sound	53-2	51-4	51-4
Hudson Motor	95	92-2	92-2
Hupp Motors	54-7	53-4	53-4
Illinois Central	141-8	141 6	141-6
Imperial Oil	62 2	62 2	62 2
Inspiration	21-1	20-4	20-7
Int Comb Eng	50	49 5	49 7
Int. Harvester	260	256 2	256-2
Int'l Match, pfd	115 7	114	114-8
Int'l Paper	78-7	77 5	77 5
Int Pete	28-5	36-5	28 5
Int. Mer Mar., pfd	39-3	38 1	28-1
Int Nickel	98-4	92 2	94
Int Tel & Tel	162-2	161	181
Johns Manville	117	116	117
Kan. City South	55-2	55 1	55-1
Kennecott Copper	66-7	66	66
Lehigh Valley	91-6	91 6	61-6
Louis. & Nash	153	153	153
Mack Truck	97	95 1	95-1
Manhatten Elec.	55	54 4	54 4
Marland Oil	41	40-4	40-4
Marlin Rockwell	50	50	50
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	28 7	28 4	28-5
Miss. Pacific	50	50	50
Miss Pacific, pfd	111 4	111 2	111-3
Montana Power	162-2	160	160
Montgomery Ward	151 7	146 6	146
Nash Motors	89	87 4	87 4
National Biscuit	168	168	166
Natl. Cash Reg	57	55-4	55-7
Natl. Dairy Prod	72-7	72-4	72-5
N Y Air Brake	45 6	45-6	45-6
Norfolk & West.	167 4	187 4	187-4
North American	65	64 2	64-2
Northern Pacific	100 7	99-6	99 6
N Y Central	176	174 6	175
N Y., N.H & Hart.	64 4	62 5	63-5
N Y., Ont & West.	29 5	28-5	28 5
Packard Motor	70	68 5	66-5
Pan American B	46 6	45-2	45-3
Pennsylvania R R.	68-7	68 4	68-6
Pere Marquette	131	121	131
Phillips Pete	42	41 4	41-6
Pierce Arrow	12-4	12 4	12-4
Producers & Ref	22-1	22	22
Pullman Co	88-2	86 5	88-5
Radio	194-4	185	186
Reading	107	105-4	107
Rep Iron & Steel.	60	60	60
Royal Dutch	46 2	46-2	46-2
Schulte	56 6	53 7	56 6
Sears Roebuck	106	104 2	104 6
Shattuck-Denn	14 4	14 4	14-4
Shell Union	26 4	26-2	26 2
Simmons Co	73-2	70-2	70-7
Sinclair Cons	26-5	26 2	28-4
Sloss Sheffield	130-6	130-8	130 8
Southern Pacific	123-4	122	122
Southern Railway	149 7	148-6	148-8
Standard Milling	106	106	106
Standard Gas	64 3	64	64
Standard Oil, Cal	56-6	58-4	56-5
Standard Oil, N J	41 2	41	41-1
Standard Oil, N Y	30 4	30-3	30 4
Standard Oil, Ind	72-1	72-1	72-1
Stewart Warner	82 1	82	82
St Louis & S Fran	120 7	120	120 4
Stromburg Carb	54	54	54
Studebaker	65-6	64 2	64-2
Texas Co.	53-6	53 2	53 3
Texas Gulf Sulphur	77 2	75	75 7
Texas Pacific R R	130 2	129	129
Tex. Pac C & O	13 4	13	13-4
Timken Roller	126 2	125 7	125 7
Tobacco Prod.	112	110	110 7
Union Oil of Calif	50-6	50 4	50-6
Union Pacific	198 4	197	197
U S Cast I Pipe	250	250	250
U S Ind Alco	118	117 1	118
U S Rubber	53-7	51 2	51 3
U.S. Steel	148	146 4	147 2
Underwood Typ.	66 7	66	66
Union Carbide	154 8	152-4	153
Universal Pipe	23	22	22
Vanadium	86 8	86 5	86-5
Victor Talk. Mach.	67-2	65	85 8
Wabash	72-3	72-2	72-3
Westing Air Brake	53-2	52 4	52-8
Westing Elec.	109-5	106 4	106-4
White Motor	35 1	34 6	35
Willys Overland	27-3	26 2	28-4
Woolworth	189-7	188-4	189-7
Wright Aer Cpn.	99-6	95	67
Yale Towne	71-4	71-4	71-4
Y'aston Sh. & Tu.	67-6	67 6	67-6
Yel. Tr'k & Coach	34-1	33-4	33-4
Auburn Motors	137	137	137

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Alberta Pacific Grain	63	62	62
Abitibi	79 5	79 5	78-5
Asbestos	33-2	31	23-2
Asbestos, pfd.	92 4	92 4	92-4
Atlantic Sugar	20-8	20-8	20-6
Bell Telephone	165	164 4	164 4
Brazilian Trac.	230	228 4	226-4
B.C. Fish & Pack	15-4	14-2	15 4
Brompton Paper	67	65	65
Can Bronze	62	91	81
Can. Celanese, com	64 4	64 4	64 4
Can. Celanese, pfd	62	82	82
Can. Cement, com	21-4	31-4	31 4
Can. Car Fdy., com.	51 4	51	51-4
Can. Car Fdy., pfd.	65	85	95
Can. S.S., com	25-6	35 8	25 8
Can S.S., pfd.	82 4	82 4	92 4
Can Cottons	136	136	136
Can. Converters	125	125	125
Can. Ind Alcohol	43	42 4	42-4
Cons. M. & S.	261-4	277	277
Dom. Bridge	77-2	76 6	77
Dom. Glass	122	132	132
Dom Textile	122-4	122	122
Dryden Paper	43 4	43 3	43-3
Hiram Walker	61-4	61-4	61-4
Howard Smith	146-4	145	146-4
L. of Woods Mlg	170	170	170
Mackay Co	120	120	120
Massey Harris	43	42-4	42 4
McColl Frontenac	32-8	33-6	33 6
Montreal Power	63 4	93 4	93 4
National Breweries	118	116	118
Ogilvie Mlg Co	384	384	384
Penmans, Ltd.	102	101	102
Shawinigan	65-4	64-6	64 6
Spanish River, pfd	131	121	131
Steel of Canada	196	195	196
Winnipeg Electric	123	121	121
Imp. Tobacco	6	6	9
Brazil (new)	58-6	57-6	57 6

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, March 31.—Morning deliveries wheat, 79,000; corn, 110,000; oats, 40,000. Lard, 400,000 pounds.

Lecount wires from Belleville, Kansas: Wheat from Colby east is generally good with the exception of a few counties in the west and northwest part of the state. The crop is in splendid condition. Growth is somewhat below average for this time of year, but the stand is good.

Buenos Aires closed: Wheat, 1-2 cent higher; corn, 1 5-8 cents lower; oats and flax unchanged.

Cable says: Resellers are offering corn three cents cheaper than direct sellers.

Chicago—The report of the United States Department of Agriculture stating that unusually cold weather over all of Europe during the week-end of March 22 caused damage to Winter crops, is credited with bringing in the buying orders at the opening. There has been considerable buying of wheat here the past few days, generally credited to foreign interests. The news this morning seems to coincide with this buying.

(Supplied by B C Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	143⅞	144¼	142½	142⅝
May	143½	144⅝	142¾	142⅝
July	142½	143⅜	141½	141⅝
Sept.	140⅛	140⅞	139⅝	139⅝
Corn—				
March	89⅞	100½	99⅝	89⅞
May	102¼	102⅝	101½	101⅝
July	104⅜	105⅛	103⅝	104⅛
Oats—				
March	58⅝	58⅝	58	58
May	58⅛	58⅝	57⅞	57⅞
July	51⅛	52¼	51⅜	51⅝
Rye—				
March	125	125	122	122
May	121½	122⅛	120⅞	120⅞

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov	104 60	105 20
1937, 1st June & Dec.	109 60	110.10

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

	Buy	Sell
1931, 1st Apr. & Oct.	102 20	102 45
1937, 1st Mar and Sept. (Payable New York)	105 60	106.10

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

	Buy	Sell
1932, 1st May & Nov	102 75	104 05
1934, 1st May & Nov	104 65	105.15

DOMINION LOAN

	Buy	Sell
1926, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	100.20	100 50
1943, 15th Apr & Oct., 5%	105.65	105 95
1940, 1st Mar & Sept., 4½%	101 90	102.25
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 4½%	102 50	102 75
1946, 1st Feb. and Aug., 4½%	102.70	102 85
1954, 1st Feb and Aug (C N R.), 5%—Mkt.		
1957, 1st Jan and July (C N R.), 4½%—Mkt.		

Add accrued interest to date.
1937, 121 days, 1.623 per $100.
1932, 1922, 1934, 151 days, 2.275 per $100.
1926, 1943, 166 days, 2.301 per $100.
1944, 166 days, 2.071 per $100.
1946, 59 days, .727 per $100.
Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans ¼ of 1%.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

SALES

200 Argenta at 43; 100 B.C. Silver at 1.50; 6,000 Bayview at .10½; 500 Big Missouri at .53; 2,500 at .58; 500 at .56; 2,500 at .58; 4,400 at .59; 1,000 at .59½; 1,500 at .60; 2,800 at .61; 7,200 Cork Province at 43½; 2,200 at 44; 9,000 at 44½; 5,000 at 45; 76 Dunwell at .28; 220 at 27; 500 at 29; 1,250 Georgia River at 38; 500 at 28½; 1,000 at 29; 3,000 Gladstone at .08; 1,000 Glasair at 46; 500 at .47; 6,000 Wellington at 24; 2,500 at .26; 100 A P Consolidated at 40; 1,400 British Petroleum at .04; 2,000 Grandview at 59½; 7,200 at 60; 4,000 at 60½; 600 Golconda at 87; 5,000 Independence at 22; 1,500 International Coal at 26; 6,000 Kootenay Florence at 29; 1,000 at .29½; 2,000 at 29½; 550 at .20; 10,000 L. & L. at 14; 500 at 15; 2,000 Lakeview at .04½; 4,000 at 05; 200 Lucky Jim at 40½; 1,700 at 41; 500 at 41½; 4,000 Marmot at .16; 200 Whitewater at 2.70; 600 at 2.76; 200 at 2.79; 500 at 2.80; 900 Montana-Idaho at .51; 2,115 Pend Oreille at 19.00; 200 at 19.25; 1,700 Premier at 2.79; 4,850 at 2.80; 5,000 Porter-Idaho at 74; 1,500 at 75; 500 Rufus at 43; 200 at 45; 4,700 Ruth Hope at 61; 1,000 at 61½; 1,000 Selkirks at 03½; 5,000 at .02½; 2,000 Silver Crest at 11½; 500 Silversmith at .18; 150 Silverado at 68; 4,000 Standard Silver at .21½; 1,000 Surf Inlet at 01; 800 Terminus at 19; 100 Dalhousie at 2.18; 100 Home Oil at 2.28.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, March 31.—Bar silver, 26 7-16d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, March 31.—Bar silver, 57¼. Mexican dollars, 43⅞.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 31.—Money, 3¾ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 per cent; three months' bills, 4 1-16.

FEDERAL DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

EGG PRODUCE PRICES

Price to producers—	Ext.	Firsts	Secs.
Vancouver	22-25	20-22	18-20
Victoria	22	20	18
Edmonton	25	23	17
Jobbing price—			
Vancouver	30-31	27-28	25-26
Victoria	28	25	23
Montreal	34	32	30

New England Power Association sells $25,000,000 five per cent twenty-year debentures, public offering, next week.

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
Bayview	.09	.10½
Big Missouri	.58	.60
Cork Province	.45	.46
Dalhousie	.38	.40
Dunwell	.28	.35
George Copper	4.85	5.25
Glacier Creek	..	.05½
Gladstone	..	.12
Glasair	.45	..
Golconda	.85	.92
Independence	.20	.25
Indian	..	.12
Int. Coal & Coke	.37	.41
Kootenay Florence	.30	.31½
L. & L.	.13	.15
Lakeview	.05	.06
Lucky Jim	.40	.44
Marmot Metals	..	.20
Nat. Silver G.S.	.16	.22
Pend Oreille, com.	18.00	20.00
Premier	2.76	2.83
Porter	.70	..
Richmond	..	.19
Rufus-Argenta	.42½	.45
Ruth Hope	.60	.62
Selkirks	.03	.05
Silvercrest	.10	.13
Silverado	1.00	..
Silversmith	..	.24
Slocan King	.10	.13
Whitewater, com.	..	3.00
Woodbine	.30	.35
OILS		
B C Montana	..	.00½
British Pete	.03½	..
Devenish	.32	..
LOCAL CURB		
Grandview	.55	.63
Goldsmith	.10	..
Malaspina	.16	.16½
Beaver	..	.25
Caulfield	15.50	17.00
Georgia River	.36	.43
Oregon Metals	..	.90
C. & E Land	..	23.00
Silvertip	..	.26
Stewart Lands	..	10.00
Wellington	.23	.29
George Enterprise	..	.25
Northern Light	..	.30
Marmot Gold	.09¾	.10

SALES

250 Independence at .22; 300 at .22; 200 Kootenay Florence at 31; 200 at 21; 1,000 Lakeview at .05½; 500 Porter-Idaho at .71; 300 at .71; 250 Ruth Hope at 61; 250 at .61; 500 at .60; 500 George Enterprise at .22; 1,000 Marmot Gold at .10; 1,000 at .10; 500 at .10.

TORONTO MINES

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	Bid	Asked
Amulet	3.52	..
Argonaut	.16½	..
Barry Hollinger	1.22	..
Beaver	1.64	..
Bidgood	1.10	..
Capital	.13	..
Crown Reserve	.53	..
Goldale	.34	..
Goldhill	.22	..
Seagram	1.15	..
Hunton	.15¾	..
Lake Shore	24.25	..
Macassa	.41	..
McDougall	.60½	..
Premier	..	2.95
Mining Corpn.	3.52	..
Pioneer	.60	..
Realty & M.	.27	..
Stadacona Rouyn	.27	.38
Teck Hughes	8.35	..
Tough Oakes	.55½	..
Wright Hargraves	4.60	..
Jackson Manion	.75¾	..
Noranda	17.50	..
Towagmac	2.95	..
Sudbury Basin	10.10	..
Pend Oreille	19.85	..
Sherritt Gordon	7.40	..

Winnipeg Grain

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WINNIPEG, March 31.—Wheat—The unexpectedly strong cables which came 5-8 to 3-4 higher, when due to come 5-8 to 7-8 lower, evidently stirred up a sleeping short interest in this market, and they covered at the opening this morning, which resulted in prices being forced up over one cent during the first ten minutes. There was a little buying of October by Chicago houses, but otherwise there was little doing, exporters and seaboard houses being out of the market, and export sales yesterday and last night were reported as being very small. After the shorts had covered, the market became very dull with nothing of feature going on. However, the market held around top figures most of the day, but some realizing sales later caused the market to decline about half-cent from the top. The pool were about the only sellers early in the day, and it was their wheat that supplied the shorts at top levels. The local trade appears to be very much at sea as to wheat market conditions, as all the bull leadership for the past week or two has come from Chicago, and it is estimated that Chicago interests have purchased around fifteen million bushels in this pit. The local cash market was dull, with a very small demand in evidence, buyers refusing to follow the bulge in the futures. There was not much offered, and spreads remained about unchanged. Private reports from crop experts on Winter wheat conditions will be issued Monday morning. Winnipeg futures closed 3-4 to 3-8 up.

Coarse Grains — These markets were dull and draggy with prices somewhat easier. There was very little demand for oats, barley or rye, while there was a little scattered liquidation in evidence. Oats closed about 1-4 lower, barley about 1-2 lower, and rye 3-8 to 1-8 lower.

Flax—Quiet market. No feature. Closing figures 1-4 lower to 1-8 up.

FUTURES

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
July	145¼	145⅞	145½	145½
May	143½	144½	143½	143⅝
Oct.	136¼	126⅞	137⅞	138
Oats—				
July	66⅝	66⅝	65⅝	65⅝
May	69¼	69⅝	68⅝	68⅝
Oct	57⅛	87½	86⅝	56⅝
Rye—				
July	116¼	117¼	116⅝	116⅝
May	121½	121⅞	120½	120½
Oct	106⅜	106⅝	106⅝	106⅝
Barley—				
July	91	91¼	90¼	90¼
May	63	63⅛	92⅝	92⅝
Oct	76⅝	76½	77⅞	77⅞
Flax—				
July	197⅝	167⅝	197⅝	197⅝
May	184½	165	164	164
Oct.	202	202	201¼	201½

CASH GRAINS

Wheat—1 N., 150⅝; 2 N., 145½; 3 N., 134; No. 4, 123⅝; No. 5, 112¼; No. 6, 105; feed, 99⅝; track, 143⅝.

Oats—2 C.W., 68⅛; 3 C.W., 64⅝; extra 1 feed, 64⅝; 1 feed, 63¼; 2 feed, 61¼; rejected, 58⅝; track, 67⅝.

Barley—3 C.W. 90⅞; 4 C.W., 87⅝; rejected, 86⅞; feed, 84⅞; track, 91⅝.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 192; 2 C.W., 188; 3 C.W., 170; rejected, 166; track, 192¼.

Rye—1 C.W., 118⅝; track, 119¾.

LIVERPOOL

Open, ¼ lower to ¼ higher.
Close, ⅝ to ⅝ higher.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Wheat quotations, spot and en route: 1 Nor., 154⅝; 2 Nor., 145⅝; 3 Nor., 132⅝; No. 4 wheat, 128¼; No. 5 wheat, 117⅝; No. 6 wheat, 107½; feed, 105⅝.

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Catholic Men's Societies Are Reviewed

Million Churchmen Promote Clean Speech And Fraternal Welfare

Knights of Columbus Were Active in Great War—Now Carry On Much Educational, Social Welfare and Boys' Work—Local Council Has Membership of Three Hundred

Holy Name Society Has Honorable History in Encouraging Reverence

PLAYING a very large part in the life of the manhood of the Catholic Church in Canada and the United States, and largely promotive of the objectives of the church, are the Knights of Columbus and the Holy Name Society, local branches of both of which are found in Victoria. As to age, the first is but five decades old, the other five centuries. As to character, while both are thoroughly churchlike and the members are all Catholics, the latter society exists more for spiritual and moral culture, while the former works rather toward social ends. The Holy Name Society has some likeness in the Protestant communions to the Bible classes, the Corpus Christi Society or the St. Andrew's Brotherhood, while the Knights of Columbus suggests fraternal orders, the service clubs and the Young Men's Christian Association. The success of both of these organizations is a tribute to the wisdom of the Catholic Church in harnessing its manhood to promote the moral and spiritual welfare of the church.

K. OF C. AS WELFARE CLUB

While the Knights of Columbus is primarily and essentially a fraternal benefit society, and takes its place along with the many other men's associations of this sort, its spirit and activities have gone outside the strict limits of insurance benefits and social interests. Its work as a welfare society during the Great War, along the lines of the Y.M.C.A., is fresh in the soldiers' memory. In Canada nearly $1,500,000 was entrusted to them for this service and in the United States within the first year of the war $15,000,000 was subscribed for the welfare of soldiers and sailors. Wherever there is distress by fire or storm or flood, it is the proud claim of this order that it hastens to bring aid.

The stricken people of Japan, the flood sufferers of the Mississippi, the fire-swept homes of Ontario and Minnesota, the victims of destructive storms and upheavals as in San Francisco and Newfoundland, have been some of the recipients of the benefactions of a society which gives relief, not alone to its own members, but to all sufferers regardless of religious faith or social affiliations. Following demobilization, the Knights established employment bureaus for ex-service men and also operated evening schools and gave scholarships for college courses.

In the front rank of its activity is the educational work of the order. A considerable list of books published under its auspices, already stands to its credit; books, too, on such themes as "The Negro in the Making," by W. E. DuBois. It maintains popular lecturers who give the Catholic viewpoint on such questions as Socialism and Bolshevism, and has established scholarships at a number of college centres. The assistance of Catholic immigration is another phase of its many-sided interests. The members of the order in Canada and Newfoundland have undertaken to spend approximately $25,000 yearly in this work.

TRAINS BOYS' LEADERS

An important move was made in 1923, when the "Columbian Squires" was organized. The immediate objective of this branch of the order is to train leaders in boys' work. The kind of training that is given in the Boy Scout organization and the Trail Ranger and Tuxis movement, is likely to have a large development among Catholic boys under the direction of the Knights of Columbus and its Columbian Squires.

Seeking further fields of helping the church to which they belong, the order has raised $1,000,000 to combat alleged Soviet politics in Mexico and to give relief to the exiled archbishops, bishops, priests and religious that have been driven from the country. Another million went into Italy some years ago for financing welfare work their principles. One of the most striking sights of the Eucharistic Congress held two years ago at Chicago, was an almost endless procession of men—thousands upon thousands, and still thousands more following—that marched through the city's streets, every man of them pledged to the high purposes of the Holy Name Society. When looseness of speech and conduct is becoming a growing temptation of the hour, the steadying effect of such a resolve as is taken by this order must be entirely salutary upon the faith and morals of its members and the community at large. If the Knights of Columbus be thought of as the men's business committee of the Church, the objects of this society suggest that it belongs to the Order of Sir Galahad and Sir Bors and all the worthy seekers of the Holy Grail.

The local society is officered by Mr. C. J. O'Leary, as president; Mr. P. J. Fagan, as vice-president; Mr. Blair Reid, treasurer, and Mr. J. D. Kissinger, warden.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

The origin of the Society of the Holy Name dates back half a millenium to the dread time when a plague was devastating Lisbon, though the farther roots of this ancient fraternity lie back two centuries earlier, at the beginning of the famous Dominion order of preachers. It was the founder of this order, Saint Dominic, who combatted the Albigensian heresy and exalted the divinity of Christ in the popular mind. Fifty years after his death in 1221 A.D., it was the Dominican Order which was foremost in carrying out the deliverance of the Second Council of Lyons in 1.72, which laid upon the faithful special devotion and zeal toward the Holy Name of Jesus, more especially at the pronouncing of that name in the Sacrifice of the Mass.

When, therefore, the plague of 1432 was upon the Portuguese capital, it was natural that a Dominical prelate, Bishop Diaz by name, should have turned the minds of the terrified populace to the name of Jesus, with the result, it is claimed, that in a short time the city was freed from the scourge. On January 1, 1443, the Holy Name Society was founded, which has continued with varying fortunes to the present day, when it numbers fully half a million members, thanks to the direction and zeal of the same Dominican Fathers under whose auspices it was founded. Reverence is the first and the last principle of this society. The exaltation of the divinity of Christ is its avowed primary object, and growing out of that the practice of reverent and clean speech, along with the devout observance of Sunday. The pledge taken by its members before the altar is against perjury, blasphemy, profanity and obscene speech. The manual of the society puts it thus: "To maintain and to increase man's faith in the divinity of the Saviour is the chief object of the society; to promote, respect and honor for His Holy Name the means. An organized body of men striving heart and soul to make Jesus the Man-God better known and better loved—this is the Holy Name Society and its aim."

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SPECIAL SERVICE WILL OPEN CONVENTION OF YOUNG PEOPLE AT DUNCAN

Large Attendance Is Expected at Gathering From Various Centres

A score or more of young people of the United Churches of this city will make a pilgrimage to Duncan on Good Friday in order to take part in a convention of the young people of the Island. A large attendance is expected from Nanaimo and other points north. The day will begin with a Good Friday service at 11 o'clock in the Duncan United Church. The afternoon conference will be led by Rev. W. A. Guy, of Oak Bay, and the evening by Rev. J. P. Westman, of Centennial Church. Considerable interest has been shown in this first meeting of the Island young people to be held outside of Victoria.

SERMON HONORS MARTYRS OF FAITH

In Prophetic Studies of Book of Revelation Rev. J. P. Rowell Will Speak at Central Baptist

On Sunday evening the pastor of the Central Baptist Church will continue the series of prophetic studies in the Book of Revelation, dealing with the subject, "The Church of the Martyr Age." The Lord's Supper will follow the evening service. In the morning the pastor, Rev. J. B. Rowell, will give the seventh in the series on the Deepening of the Spiritual Life, viz. "Fact, Faith and Feeling in Consecration." The services of the Central Baptist Church are still being held in the Eagles' Hall, above the B.C. Electric showrooms, and will be until a permanent church home is secured.

CONSECRATION TO BE STRESSED

First Baptist Will Devote Evenings of This Week to Special Services

At ten-thirty o'clock this morning, in the quietness of God's house, those wishing to partake of the Lord's Supper at the First Baptist Church, will meet together. At eleven o'clock they will gather for the morning service of praise, inspiration and instruction. The minister, Rev. James Strachan, will preach the final sermon in a group of Lenten sermons on "The Words From the Cross." The subject of this sermon will be "The Seventh Word from the Cross." Immediately following this part of the service, classes will be formed for a discussion of the lesson for the day. Miss N. Barr will sing "The Way to Heaven."

At the evening service the minister will preach the ninth sermon in a series on "God's Pictures of Life." He will present "Life, As Seen From Calvary." The choir will render the anthem, "Blessed is the Man."

The young people of the church will meet on Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock, and on all other evenings of the week, except Saturday, there will be meetings for all ages for the deepening of the spiritual life, and for the consecration of believers to Christ's service. These meetings will be in the upper room in the rear, at 8 o'clock.

On Good Friday morning this church will join with the other churches of the city in a service in the Metropolitan Church at eleven o'clock.

REV. F. A. RAMSEY GIVES ADDRESS AT ST. MATTHIAS'

The services in St. Matthias' Church today will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m.; Matins and sermon at 11 a.m.; Evensong and sermon at 7:30 p.m. Mr. A. R. Merrix will be the preacher in the morning and the Rev. F. A. Ramsey at night. On Good Friday there will be Matins and Ante-Communion with address by the Rev. F. A. Ramsay at 10:30 a.m.

Dr. A. F. Barton to Speak This Week On New Thought

Today at the New Thought Temple Dr. A. F. Barton will speak at both services. At 11 o'clock he will speak on "The Problem of Life," and at 7:30 o'clock his subject will be "Getting What You Want." Dr. Barton will also speak on Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, when he will continue his health series with a talk on "Deferring Old Age." The attendance of this congregation is reported as continuing to increase.

UNION SERVICE SET ON FRIDAY

Ministerial Association Will Again Combine in Joint Service on Good Friday at Metropolitan

REV. JAMES HOOD TO GIVE ADDRESS

The Ministerial Association will hold a union service on Good Friday at the Metropolitan Church, beginning at 11 o'clock.

Rev. J. Strachan, of First Baptist Church, will preside; Rev. T. H. Davies, of Knox Presbyterian Church, will read the Scriptures, and Rev. Daniel Walker, of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, will offer prayer. The address will be given by Rev. James Hood, of Belmont Avenue United Church.

These interdenominational services as held from year to year have been largely attended and the Christian public is cordially invited to be present.

"ATONEMENT" TO BE GIVEN

Good Friday Cantata at St. Andrew's—Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell Will Preach Today

Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A., of Toronto, will again preach at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church today. The subject for the sermon this morning is "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem!" and the text, Matt. xxiii, 37. For the evening, "The Christian Character, its Negatives and Positives," and the text Eph. iv, 31, 32.

The prayer meeting will not be held on Wednesday evening, April 4, on account of the special service to be held on Good Friday evening at 8 o'clock, at which the choir, under the direction of Mr. Jesse A. Longfield, will render the sacred cantata, "Atonement." This cantata will be preceded by a short devotional service with address conducted by Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell.

GIRLS' GROUPS AID EMMANUEL CHURCH

Baptism Administered at Both Services—Choir Will Render Cantata on Good Friday

Services of special interest will be held in Emmanuel Baptist Church today. At the morning hour of worship the three C.G.I.T. Groups, which have been meeting weekly under the leadership of Misses N. Rigby, L. Parfitt and M. Hall, will be present in a body and will take an active part in the service. Isabel Marrion will read the Scripture; Nan Brewster and Thelma Birnie will give brief talks; Kathleen Baker will tell a story to the younger girls and boys; Rosie Parfitt and Anna Clarke will sing a duet; the groups will sing one of their hymns and Olive Baker, with the pastor, will direct the service. During the service three of the girls from the groups will obey their Lord in the ordinance of baptism. The choir will render the anthem, "God So Loved the World" (Stainer). The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will not be observed at this service, but on Easter morning instead.

At the evening service the Rev. Henry Knox will take as the subject of his sermon "A Question of Passiontide." The choir will sing "Surely He Hath Borne Our Griefs" (Handel), and Miss Mae Mason will sing "He Was Despised" (Handel). Baptisms will take place at this service also.

The choir of Emmanuel Baptist Church, under the direction of Mr. Fred Parfitt, will present the sacred cantata, "From Olivet to Calvary" (Maunder), in the church on the evening of Good Friday, beginning at 8 o'clock. Miss N. Parfitt, soprano; D. Stewart, tenor, and H. Parfitt, bass, will be the soloists. Members of the congregation and the public will welcome the opportunity of hearing this beautiful cantata.

British-Israel Meeting

The British - Israel Association will meet as usual in The King's Hall, Yates Street, on Monday, April 2, at 8 o'clock. Mr. W. H. Blackaller will speak on "The Power to Get Wealth and the Right Use of It."

The new Bible House in Jerusalem is to opened at Easter in the presence of representatives of the Government, leaders of the Eastern and Western churches, and delegates visiting Palestine for the International Missionary Council, which met yesterday and will continue until April 8.

ST. MARY'S SERVICES

Bishop Schofield Will Conduct Rite of Confirmation at St. Mary's Church

Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. Mary's today at 8 o'clock and 12 (noon); Matins and sermon at 11 o'clock; Evensong, 7 o'clock. At this service the rector hopes to present fifty-two candidates to the Bishop for the rite of Confirmation. The parents of those being confirmed are asked to be at the church in good time as it is not possible to reserve seats. The Sunday School classes will meet in the hall; Seniors, 9:45 o'clock; Juniors, 11 o'clock. During Holy Week the following services will be held: Monday, Holy Communion, 10:30; Tuesday, Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Wednesday, Holy Communion, 8 a.m., Lenten services, 8 p.m.; Thursday, Holy Communion, 10:30 o'clock; Good Friday, Litany, Ante-Communion and sermon, 11 o'clock, Maunder's "Olivet to Calvary," 8 p.m.

THEME OF PASSION WEEK SELECTED

Rev. W. A. Guy Will Preach This Evening at Oak Bay United Church

Oak Bay United will have suitable themes and music for the Sunday before Easter. With the juniors the minister will discuss the name "Hobab," from the Old Testament. The sermon for this morning will consider the great hour of the Master's glorification. At the morning service, Mrs. Chas. Slark will sing from "The Messiah," "He Was Despised."

At the evening hour the principle of the "Cross" will be considered, with a line of "The Rosary" as the theme; "A Cross is Hung." Mr. W. H. Ruffell will sing the song with the above mentioned title.

A full programme will engage the interest of the church from Monday to Good Friday, culminating with the Communion Service Easter Sunday morning.

Monday night, the class for membership and the Young People's Society hour.

Tuesday, The Men's Club. Following the supper, Mr. T. Z. Caverhill will give an illustrated lecture on "Forestry."

Wednesday at 7:30 o'clock, reception of members; 8 p.m., the minister will speak upon "The Crises of Holy Week." "Is There a Dark Line in God's Face?"

Thursday, 8 p.m., Dr. J. K. Unsworth will lead in a pre-Easter meditation.

Good Friday at 11 o'clock, Rev. Robert Aylward will review the incidents of the Crucifixion.

CENTENNIAL CHOIR SINGS FROM CANTATA

"Olivet to Calvary" Will Provide Evening Music—Sermon to Be "Passion Story"

Centennial Church has been drawing large audiences lately with its very fine musical programmes. Last week the Schubert Club gave an excellent programme that delighted the splendid audience. Today the Centennial Choir, which won the shield last year at the Festival, will render an interesting programme of good music. In the morning the choir will sing "Come Unto Him," and Messrs. F. Tupman and J. Almond will sing "Thy Divine Petition." The evening musical programme will open with "O Sacred Head" (Bach). This will be followed by a number of selections from "Olivet to Calvary," as follows: "Thy Will Be Done," solo and chorus; "On the Way to Jerusalem," "Betrayed and Forsaken," solo and chorus; "Before Pilate," "March to Calvary," "Droop, Sacred Head," and "Rock of Ages."

It was the singing of the first number that gave Centennial Choir the shield last year, and the programme this evening will be in keeping with the high standard set by that organization.

On Wednesday evening a preparatory service will be held in connection with the sacramental service on Easter Sunday, at which a reception of new members will be held.

The pastor will be in charge of today's services and will speak in the morning on "The Great Triumph," and in the evening on "The Passion Story for Today."

Public Invited to Talk on Theosophy

Tonight, at 8 o'clock, Mr. William H. Griffiths will give a lecture on "Is Theosophy Dogmatic?" at a public meeting of the Victoria Independent Theosophical Society in the rooms of the society, 204 Jones Building, Fort Street. At the close of the lecture the subject will be open to public discussion.

Palm Sunday Begins Holy Week Observance

Many Special Services Will Be Held This Week Prior to Easter Sunday — Confirmations Precede First Communions

The week beginning today, as Palm Sunday, and ending on Easter Day, will be crowded with religious observances. Holy Communion in some of the Anglican churches will be observed daily, as also Mass in the Catholic churches, and some of the United and Baptist congregations announce week night special services. Easter in these communions will be marked by a large number professing their Christian faith and taking Communion for the first time.

Bishop Schofield will conduct the rite of Confirmation at St. John's and St. Mary's, at which latter service fifty-two will be confirmed. Preparatory Communicant Class will bring a large number of young people into First United Church.

On Good Friday, in addition to many services in individual congregations, there will be a union service at the Metropolitan Church at 11 o'clock, and Dean Quainton will conduct a three hours' Devotion at the Cathedral from 12 noon to 3 o'clock. Special music will also be given in some of the churches on that day.

CATHEDRAL HAS DAILY SERVICE

MESSAGE OF PALM SUNDAY TO BE GIVEN TODAY BY DEAN QUAINTON

Three Hours' Devotion Will Be Held on Good Friday, the Dean Preaching

The services in the Cathedral today, Palm Sunday, will be such as to impress the message of the triumphal entry of Christ into Jerusalem. There will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and 9:30 a.m., Matins and sermon at 11 a.m., children's service at 3 p.m., Evensong and sermon at 7:30 p.m. The Dean of Columbia, the Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, D.D., will preach at both morning and evening services.

During Holy Week there will be special services with special preachers in the Cathedral as follows:

Monday, Holy Communion, 10:30 a.m.; 8 p.m., Evensong and sermon, preacher, Rev. O. L. Hull, of St. Mark's; Tuesday, 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 8 p.m., Evensong and sermon; preacher, Rev. S. Ryall, of St. Luke's, Cedar Hill; Wednesday, Holy Communion, 7:30 a.m.; 8 p.m., Evensong and sermon; preacher, the Dean; Thursday, 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 8 p.m., Evensong and sermon; preacher, Rev. T. M. Hughes, Sidney; Good Friday, 7:30 a.m., Litany and Ante-Communion service; 9:30, children's service; 10:30, Matins and sermon; preacher, the Bishop; 12 noon, three hours' devotion; preacher, the Dean; 8 p.m., Evensong and sermon; preacher, Rev. F. A. Ramsay; Saturday, Easter Eve, 8 a.m., Matins and Ante-Communion in chapel; 5:15 p.m., Evensong in chapel.

FAIRFIELD HAS GOOD SERVICES

Pulpit Supplied Today by Rev. Geo. Dean and Rev. H. N. McLean, Ph.D.

At the morning service at Fairfield United Rev. Geo. Dean, who is well known in the city and has preached acceptably in this church on several occasions, will conduct the service. The evening service will be taken by Rev. H. N. McLean, Ph. D., of Vancouver, who was for a time pastor of St. Paul's Church, Victoria West. Dr. McLean comes to the congregation highly recommended, and its members extend a cordial invitation to both services.

Both services on Easter Sunday will be taken by Rev. J. G. Brown, D.D., principal of Union College, Vancouver. The congregation is anticipating with great pleasure the coming of this well known church leader.

PASSION WEEK IS KEPT IN MIND AT VICTORIA WEST

The services today at Victoria West United Church will be conducted with the Passion Week of Christ in mind. Rev. H. J. Armitage, B.D., will preach this morning on "The Worthy Saviour of Humanity," and in the evening on the supreme message of His last week, "Others." It is hoped that all our people will attend these services, seeking to understand more fully the Good Friday experience and sacrifice, that they may enter into the gladness of the Easter triumph. Appropriate music will be rendered both morning and evening.

DR. WEBBER HOLDS ANOTHER WEEK OF SPECIAL SERVICES

"Modernism and Evolution in the Light of the Bible," will be the subject of an address by Dr. E. F. Webber, of Portland, Oregon, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the King's Hall, Yates Street. This service is in connection with the special series of revival services now being held under the auspices of the Christian and Missionary Alliance of which the Rev. Daniel Walker is the pastor.

Dr. Webber is an earnest and powerful speaker who has given years of close study of God's word on a subject of vital importance to church and individual alike.

Dr. Webber's messages of the past week have been well chosen, and are being blessed to the people, and next week will deal with the following timely and inspiring subjects: "Seven Sayings from the Cross"; "Where Are Our Dead?"; "God's Love to Sinful Men"; "Questions and Answers on Divine Healing"; "What will you do with your Life," a message for young people; "Twenty-eight Prophecies Fulfilled in a Day"; "God's Dealing with Men from Creation to Eternity"; "Ten Great Signs Recently Fulfilled that Mark Christ's Return."

Rev. Dr. Fraser To Speak Here at Esquimalt United

The Rev. Dr. Simon Fraser will be the preacher at Esquimalt United Church this evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The soloist will be Miss M. Piercey, of the Schubert Choir, who will sing the two following selections: "Shepherd of Souls" (Wilson Barrett) and "Rock of Ages" (Herbert Johnson). The full evening choir, will render the anthem "Arise, Shine, for Thy Light Is Come" (Geo. J. Elvey). At the morning service the Cabinet series of discourses will be continued, the study being "Philip and His First Budget." The members of the morning choir will lead the praise and render the anthem "What a Saviour" (C. H. Gabriel). Visitors and unattached families receive a cordial welcome. The minister, Rev. W. J. Kelley, will be in charge of both services.

ENDS LENTEN TALKS

Rev. Thomas Keyworth at James Bay United Concludes Seasonal Series of Morning Sermons

The Rev. Thomas Keyworth, of James Bay United Church, will conclude the Lenten series of addresses today, when his morning theme will be "With Jesus in the Lonely Places of Life," being a treatment of the Gethsemane experiences. "The Three Crosses" will be the evening topic. At the evening service the choral numbers will be "Abide With Me" (Lorenz), and "Cast Thy Burden" (Mendelssohn). On Good Friday the Young Peoples' Society will go in a body to Duncan to attend a convention of Young Peoples' Societies of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada. Mr. Howell, of the Onwego Bible Class of the First United Church, gave an interesting address at the regular meeting of the Young Peoples' Society last Tuesday.

LIVE SUBJECTS ARE SELECTED

REV. DR. SIPPRELL WILL DEAL WITH UNEMPLOYMENT AND WAR

Morning Topic Raises Question of Universality of Religion

Rev. Dr. Sipprell will occupy the pulpit of Metropolitan Church both morning and evening. The morning study will be "The Urge of the Universal." It will be an attempt to answer the question: If God be one, why cannot we have one religion?

At 7:30 o'clock Dr. Sipprell will speak on "Doing Some Hard Thinking," and will discuss the questions of obligations, unemployment, the liquor traffic and war. A song service will precede the evening service.

Pulpit's Power To Be Topic of Victoria Editor

Mr. B. C. Nicholas, editor of The Times, will speak to the members of the Ministerial Association tomorrow morning on "The Power of the Pulpit." The meeting will be held in the Y.M.C.A. at 10:30 o'clock and the question of observing April 15 as Lord's Day Alliance Sunday will be discussed.

St. Alban's Sunday School Has Monthly Open Session Today

The children of St. Alban's Sunday School are making gratifying progress in the weekly study of the Scripture lessons. Parents and friends are invited to the monthly service at 2:15 o'clock today to hear them answer the questions put them by the superintendent. The recently formed Sunday School choir is progressing favorably under the leadership of Mr. T. Emmerson.

Universal Church Has Ancient Story Tonight

"The Modern Tower of Babel" is the theme of subject at the Universal Church of Christ this evening at 7:30 o'clock, Mrs. Florence Wiffen being the speaker. A song service, at 7:15 o'clock, precedes this service. At 3 o'clock a silence and study class is held. These service are spiritual and helpful. All are invited. At the close of the evening service a healing period is held.

BISHOP SPEAKS AT ST. JOHN'S

Stainer's "Daughter of Jairus" Will Be Rendered by St. John's Choir This Evening

BISHOP TO HOLD CONFIRMATION

The services for Palm Sunday at St. John's will commence with Holy Communion at 8 a.m. At 11 a.m., Rt. Rev. C. D. Schofield, Bishop of Columbia, will be present for Confirmation and will deliver the sermon on the occasion, the candidates being presented by the rector of St. John's, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick.

At the evening service the choir will render the sacred cantata "The Daughter of Jairus" (Sir John Stainer). This is one of the most beautiful of the Passiontide cantatas and describes in scriptural language the wonderul miracle of the raising of the daughter of Jairus from the dead. The choruses are very effective, especially the one commencing with the words, "Awake thou that sleepest and arise from the dead," and will give ample opportunity for the well known abilities of St. John's choir. The principal soprano part will be taken by Miss Moore, while the bass and tenor parts will be in the hands of Mr. A. W. Palmer and Mr. George Smith.

The service will be preceded by a short organ recital by Mr. O. J. Burnett at 7:10 o'clock. There will be shortened Evensong at 7:30 o'clock, and the cantata will take the place of the sermon.

During Holy Week there will be evening services on Wednesday and Thursday at 7:30 o'clock, and on Good Friday there will be Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock the choir will render Stainer's "Crucifixion."

CHURCH ABSENCE TO BE ANALYZED

"Seven Last Words" Will Be Presented On Good Friday at First United

Rev. Dr. Wilson will preach at both services on Sunday. In the morning his subject will be "The Highway Man's Reclamation." In the processes which lead to sainthood and heaven, shall we rely more on evolution or conversion. In the evening the theme will be "A Tragic Breakdown," an attempt to set forth some of the causes which keep men from Christ or which tend to weaken their allegiance to Him, after once declaring faith in Him."

On Wednesday evening next there will be held the usual Pre-Communion Service, with admission of new members, and on Good Friday evening Dubois' "Seven Last Words," with appropriate hymns and a brief devotional service.

WILL READ "SERMON IN THE HOSPITAL" AT R. E. CHURCH

The subject for the address at the closing Wednesday afternoon Lenten service from 3 to 4 o'clock in the Church of Our Lord, will be "I am the Vine," and at the close of the service, Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone will read a selection from Ugo Bassie's "Sermon in the Hospital," from the poem in "The Disciples."

The National Bible Society of Scotland circulated last year 2,849,906 Scriptures, of which 1,792,185 were distributed in China, a number, due to the dislocation there, much less than last year.

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Anthem—CXI Psalm ..... O. T. C. Parsons

Duet, Mrs. E. Parsons and Miss A. Downard

Solo—"The Master and the Trees" ..... Chadwick

Mrs. Geo. Reid

2:30 P.M.—Sunday School Session

7:15 P.M.—Song Service

7:30 P.M.—"DOING SOME HARD THINKING"—Dr. Sipprell

Anthem—"Fling Wide the Gates" ..... Stainer

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The Last of a Group of Lenten Sermons on "The Words From the Cross"

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7:15 o'Clock—Fifteen Minutes of Song

7:30—"LIFE AS SEEN FROM CALVARY"

Ninth of a Series on "God's Pictures of Life"

Anthem—"Blessed Is the Man" ..... Danks

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A.M.—"A GREAT TRIUMPH"

Duet, "Thy Divine Petition," by Messrs. J. Almond and F. Tupman

P.M.—THE PASSION STORY FOR TODAY

Special music from "Olivet to Calvary": "Thy Will Be Done", solo and chorus, "On the Way to Jerusalem", "Betrayed and Forsaken", "Before Pilate", "March to Calvary", "Droop, Sacred Head" and "Rock of Ages. Opening number, "O Sacred Head," from Bach.

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1 BIRTHS

STRATHOLT—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on March 30, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Stratholt, 2877 Inlet Avenue, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

TREVENEN—Lucy A. Trevenen, wife of W. Trevenen, passed away suddenly yesterday morning, March 30, at her late residence at Sidney.

Funeral will take place on Monday next at Holy Trinity churchyard, at 2.30.

TAYLOR—Alexander Barrington (Barney) Taylor, who passed away Saturday morning at his residence, 1002 Vancouver Street, Victoria. Born at Ottawa, Ont., March 3, 1867.

Funeral 2 p.m. Tuesday, from B.C. Funeral Parlors.

(Vancouver and Ottawa newspapers please copy.)

BAKER—On March 29, William Edmund Baker, son of the late George Baker and nephew of James Baker, formerly of Baker's Brick and Tile Co., Limited, aged sixty years, and a native son. Deceased was a member of the A.F. & A.M., the I.O.O.F. and the A.O.F. Lodges, and is survived by, besides his nephew, Mr. James Baker, six sisters, Mrs. Russ Humber, Mrs. J. D. Watson, Mrs. James Hunter, Mrs. W. Mearns, of Victoria; Mrs. McFarlane, of Vancouver, and Mrs. Oliver, of California; also two brothers, Mr. George Baker, of California, and Mr. Stanley Baker, of 3636 Rose Street, Victoria.

The funeral will be held on Monday, April 2, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, under the auspices of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Interment Royal Oak Burial Park.

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ANGLICAN

Christ Church Cathedral, 8 a.m. and 9.30 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins and sermon; preacher, the Dean. 3 p.m., Children's service. 7.30 p.m., Evensong and sermon; preacher, The Dean. Church school, Senior, 9.45 a.m.; Junior, 11 a.m. The Very Rev. C. S. Quainton, D.D., Dean and Rector.

St. John's, Quadra Street. 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Confirmation; preacher, the Bishop of Columbia. 2.30 p.m., Sunday school. 7.30 p.m., Evensong and Sir John Stainer's cantata, "The Daughter of Jairus." Organ recital by Mr. G. J. Burnett, 7.10-7.30. Rector, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A.

St. Mary's Church, Elgin Road, Oak Bay. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins and sermon, 11 a.m. Holy Communion, 12 noon. Evensong and Confirmation by the Lord Bishop, 7 p.m. Sunday school: Senior classes, 9.45; junior classes, 11 a.m. Rector, Rev. A. E. deL. Nunns, M.A.

St. Barnabas' Church, Cook and Caledonia. Car No. 3. Palm Sunday. Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. (sung). Evensong, 7.30 p.m.

St. Alban's, Belmont and Ryan. Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m. Sunday school, 2.15 p.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, the Gorge. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Evensong (with solo) and sermon on "God's Work Among the Blackfoot Indians," at 7 p.m.

BAPTIST

Emmanuel Baptist Church. Rev. Harry Knox, pastor. 11 a.m., C.G.I.T. service. 7.30 p.m., "A Question of Passiontide." Baptisms at both services. Sunday school meets at 9.45 a.m.

CHRISTADELPHIAN

Christadelphian, 1101 Wharf Street. Today, at 11 a.m. Public lecture at 7.30 p.m. Subject: "The Light of the World." Everybody welcome. No collection.

9 CHURCH NOTICES (Continued)

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Chambers and Pandora. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Subject for today, "Unreality." Testimonial meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading room and lending library, 812 Sayward Building, daily, except Sunday, 10 to 9; Wednesday, 10 to 7. Visitors are welcome to the services and to the reading rooms.

FORUM HALL

717 Pandora Avenue. 7.30 p.m., Roderick Forrest, of Seattle, American Trades Union delegate to Soviet Russia. Subject, "An American Trades Unionist's View of the Russian Labor Movement." Questions and discussion.

NEW THOUGHT

New Thought Temple, 935 Pandora Ave. Dr. A. F. Barton at both services. 11 a.m., "The Problem of Life." 7.30 p.m., "Getting What You Want." Wednesday, 8 p.m., health lecture on "Delearning Old Age." Freewill offering. All welcome.

OAKLANDS HALL

Oaklands Gospel Hall, Hillside car terminus. 11 a.m., Worship. 3 p.m., School. 7 p.m., Gospel service. All welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Rev. J. S. Patterson (Moderator Interim). Sabbath school, 9.45 a.m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A., of Toronto. Sermon, "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem" (Matt. xxiii, 37). Solo, "Calvery" (Rodney), Miss Laura White. Anthem, "There Is a Green Hill Far Away" (Gounod); solo, Mrs. E. A. Eatlin. Evening service, 7.30. Preacher, Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell, B.A. Sermon, "The Christian Character, Its Negatives and Positives" (Eph. iv, 31, 32). Solo, "The Palms" (Faure), Mr. D. S. Park. Anthem, "The Radiant Morn Has Passed Away" (Woodward). Good Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, sacred cantata, "Atonement," to be given by the choir, preceded by a short devotional service and address conducted by Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord, Reformed Episcopal, Humboldt and Blanshard. Rector, Rev. A. deB. Owen. Services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

ROSICRUCIAN

Rosicrucian Fellowship. Study class in "Cosmo-Conception," Friday, 8 p.m., Room 40, Arcade Bldg. New students invited.

SPIRITUALIST

First Spiritualist Church, Harmony Hall, 724 Fort Street. Service, 7.30 p.m. Speaker, Mrs. Orr Anee. Subject, "Workers Win." The story of Spiritualism progress. Messages. Public circle Monday, 7.30 p.m.

THEOSOPHY

Victoria Independent Theosophical Society, 204 Jones Building. Today, 8 p.m., lecture by William H. Griffiths, "Is Theosophy Dogmatic?" All welcome.

UNITY CENTRE

600 Campbell Building
Mrs. Gordon Grant, Teacher
11 A.M.
Subject, "WHAT IS YOUR CONCEPTION OF GOD?"
7.30 P.M.
Speaker, Mrs. Gordon Grant. Subject, "WHAT HAST THOU IN THY HOUSE?"
Sunday School, 11 a.m.
Superintendent, H. Pratt
Tuesday, 3 to 4, Rest and Healing Meeting.
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Woman's Club Annual Meeting.
Thursday, 8 p.m., Study Class
Office hours, 2 to 4.
Noon Prosperity Service Every Day except Saturday
Reading room open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

First United Church, corner Balmoral Road and Quadra Street. Minister, Rev. W. G. Wilson, M.A., D.D. Assistant minister, Rev. J. G. G. Bompas, B.A., B.D. Precentor, W. C. Pyfe. Rev. Dr. Wilson will preach at both services, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday school: 9.45 a.m., Intermediates and seniors; 11 a.m., Beginners, primaries and juniors. Morning Anthem, "Save Us, O Lord" (Bairstow); chorus, "God in Nature" (Proctor). Evening Anthem, "By Babylon's Wave" (Gounod); quartette, "Breathe, Breath of God" (Jackson), Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss May Simpson, Messrs. M. Thomas and J. Loudoun.

UNIVERSAL CHURCH OF CHRIST

S.O.E. Hall, 1218 Broad Street. 3 p.m., Silence and study class. 7.15, Song service. 7.30, Evening service, subject, "The Modern Tower of Babel," speaker, Mrs. Florence Wiffen. Healing period at close.

10 COMING EVENTS

DANCE, A.O.F. HALL, SATURDAY night, 8.30. Ray Kinloch's Five-Piece Orchestra. 35 cents and 50 cents.

LAKE HILL COMMUNITY HALL DANCE, auspices Cloverdale P.-T. A., Wednesday, April 4, 8.30 p.m. Ozard's Orchestra. Refreshments. Admission 50 cents.

OPENING DANCE AT HAMSTERLEY Lakeside, Saturday, April 7. Pitt's Orchestra will play every Saturday evening, commencing at 9.15.

MONDAY, APRIL 2—EAGLES' MARCHING Club, whist drive, Eagles' Hall, Pandora and Douglas Streets, 8.30 p.m. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN SOCIETY regular social meeting Thursday, April 5, 7.30 p.m., A.O.F. Hall. Friends and visitors welcome to social. Ladies please bring refreshments.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO TYPOGRAPHICAL Union 201 will hold a dance and card party at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street, Saturday, April 7, 8.30 to 11.30. Dance 50c, cards 25c. Heaton's Orchestra.

8 P.M. TUESDAY, PARTNER WHIST and dance, S.O.E. Hall. Prizes to the value of: Two $5, two $3, two $2, two $1; two 75c. Admission 25 cents.

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1317 Mitchell Street, 6 rooms 32.50
820 Gorge Road West, 9 rooms 30.00
2240 Quadra Street, 8 rooms 30.00
1123 Oscar Street, 9 rooms 27.50
1425 Vancouver Street, 5 rooms 25.00
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1753 Lee Ave., 6 rooms, modern $35.00
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932 Princess Ave., 6 rooms, furnace $25.00
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63 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

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A BARGAIN, ESSEX COACH, 1925; JUST overhauled throughout, a sweet running little car, new balloon tires, disc wheels, automatic windshield cleaner, radiator shutter and numerous other desirable features; this car is now in the paint shop being refinished; color can be chosen to suit purchaser; below market price at $650. One only, Ford touring, 1920 model; starter and demountable rims, fair shape, $75.
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A NEW STUCCO HOME of 6 rooms, built by an Old Country contractor. Every piece of wood for panelling, etc., especially picked for the grain. Large drawing-room has open fireplace, with three large windows overlooking the water, dome ceiling with beams. Splendid dining-room with French doors, open fireplace, domed ceiling. Three large bedrooms. Owner's bedroom has large windows overlooking the water. Three-piece bathroom in white enamel, large kitchen with built-in features. Garden sloping down to the water's edge, with landing-stage for boats. Two garages. 1½ miles from centre of city. Exceptional value at only $6,500. Listing No. 132.

GORDON HEAD SEAFRONTAGE

THIS MOST DESIRABLE COUNTRY HOME, situated in the choicest part of Gordon Head, consisting of ten acres in crop, 150 pear, apple, plum and cherry trees, small fruits, strawberries, raspberries, etc. Seven-room house, fully furnished, three bedrooms, large living-room, dining-room, and bright kitchen. Stable, chicken house and outbuildings; also farm implements. As a going concern. The price has today been reduced $5,000 for quick sale. Further particulars and price on application. Listing No. 56.

A BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY HOME OF TEN ACRES

CLOSE TO THE SEA AT BRENTWOOD

LARGE ARTISTIC HOUSE of nine rooms, in perfect repair, with all modern conveniences, electric light, phone, and abundance of water supplied by automatic electric pump. House has very large entrance hall and living-room with beamed ceilings and panelled walls, and large open fireplaces. Large, bright dining-room and cosy den. Owner's bedroom is very spacious, and is decorated in the most artistic manner. There are three other bedrooms besides, also furnace. Chinaman's house, chicken house, stable. Magnificent grounds with flower gardens and rustic arbors, etc. The owner has spared no expense on this property in order to make it perfect, and has given it to us exclusively, and wants us to get an offer (no reasonable offer refused), in order that he can dispose of it immediately, as unforeseen circumstances have called him abroad at short notice. Listing No. 58.

A VERY ATTRACTIVE 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, on high ground. Entrance hall, large living and dining-rooms, divided by archway, having two bay windows, panelled ceiling, open fireplace, built-in buffet, pass pantry, and large, bright kitchen; two large bedrooms with clothes cupboards; nice 3-piece bathroom, separate toilet. All these rooms are papered in very attractive papering. Cement basement, furnace, wash tubs. Garage, chicken house, and good garden with peach, pear, apple and plum trees; also small fruits. Close to car and school. $3,300, on terms. Listing No. 239.

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FIVE FIRST OF APRIL SNAPS

7-ROOMED HOUSE, modern, with furnace; in fine shape $3,000
5-roomed modern house, with furnace and garage $2,650
4-roomed, hot water heated, garage $2,900
4-roomed stucco house, modern, on small lot; concrete basement $2,150
5-roomed modern bungalow, with attic, floored, garage $3,000

These Five Houses Will be Sold on Terms If Required

T. B. MONK & CO.
618 View Street Phone 1970

OUR EASY PAYMENT PLAN

Two rooms, light and water. Quarter-acre lot. Price $650
Five-room cottage, close in $800
Two rooms and five lots $900
Four-room cottage, Rose Street; $15 per month $1,300
Nice five-room cottage, $20 per month, for $1,500
Seven-room cottage, corner, new garage. Quarter acre. $15 per month and $150 cash down $2,100

SOMETHING SPECIAL

BUNGALOW, five rooms, 3-piece bathroom, pass pantry, all with built-in features; full cement basement, with spare room, fuel bins and stationary wash tubs. New garage. House only been built a few years. Cement wall in front. Lot 48 x 153. Owner going East in a few days. Furniture for sale. Price reduced to $2,500. Very small cash payment down.

ARTHUR E. HAYNES, LTD.
Real Estate and Insurance
725 Fort Street Phone 319

5-ROOM BUNGALOW, CEMENT FOUNDATION and basement, electric light, water, with half acre land, mixed fruit trees, large and small. Situate in Garden City. A snap at $1,500. Easy terms. $250 cash, balance $15, interest 7%. Close to bus. L. U. Conyers & Co., 703 Fort Street.

THE HOME YOU WANT

$5000—REDUCED for quick sale from $6,000. New stucco home of seven nice rooms, large veranda, hall, coat-room, living-room with fireplace, French doors to dining-room, large bright kitchen, well-fitted pantry, two large bedrooms and 3-piece bathroom, nice fittings, all on ground floor. Two large bedrooms, with sleeping balcony, upstairs. Full cement basement, furnace, toilet, fruitroom. Lot 100 x 160, chicken house. This is a nice home in nice locality, overlooking Gorge.

W. J. GILLILAND & CO.
1303 Douglas Street Phone 5592

$350

FIRST PAYMENT, $20 per month at 6%, buys a six-room bungalow, modern, garage, large fenced lot in fruit, $1,800.

BURNSIDE building lot, 50x125, at car terminus; snap, $125; main road.

CLARK REALTY
639 Yates

$1200—CASH OR $1,300, TERMS—Near Central Park. Six rooms, full plumbing, basement, fireplace in sitting-room, archway to dining-room, three bedrooms. Taxes $30. A cheap home or a good renter

$1600—CASH OR $1,800, TERMS—Suburban Snap. Modern 7-room house, full plumbing and basement. Lot 60 by 240 ft., cultivated, garage. Close to school and bus lines. Taxes $16.90.

$750—TERMS. Off North Quadra. New cottage with five lots, situated on high ground with a nice outlook. This will be picked up quickly

ANDREWS REALTY
7th Floor, B.C. Loan Bldg. Phone 2738

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
1112 Broad Street Phone 1076

$1000

TORONTO STREET, James Bay district, one block from Government Street. We offer a four-room cottage (in need of some repairs) and two choice building lots. A handyman could make this very comfortable in his spare time at small expense. This is a real snap and will go to the first party putting up a deposit. Taxes reasonable.

$1050

JASMINE AVENUE, Garden City, 3½ miles from city. Four-room cottage, basement, hot and cold water, shower bath, laundry tubs, etc. Large lot. Taxes only $9. Price $1,050. Terms. Half cash.

$1260

JAMES BAY. Here is a genuine opportunity to secure a six-room bungalow at a bargain price. Extra large lot, garage, fruit trees, etc. Price $1,260, on easy terms.

SUMMER COTTAGE

CORDOVA BAY. Cosy four-room bungalow, lath and plaster throughout, open fireplace, modern toilet, septic tank. Water by gravity. Large lot, running from road to beautiful sandy beach, garage. Price $2,625

$1750—SUPER-MODERN 4-ROOM bungalow, glassed-in sleeping porch, large 3-piece bathroom, kitchen 12x12, glassed-in cupboards, large living-room, beamed ceiling, open fireplace, high basement, double lined h and c water, work bench, lot 45x120, 1½-mile circle. Just reduced from $2,300 for quick sale. Patterson Realty, 855 Yates.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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We Write All Classes of Insurance—Including Life

OAK BAY

WE SPECIALIZE IN OAK BAY

A SURVEY OF THIS DESIRABLE DISTRICT has given us complete listings, and we are in a position to place before purchasers all Oak Bay houses that are at present on the market. This naturally saves much time to intending purchasers. A VERY CHOICE AND COMPREHENSIVE SELECTION of five and six-room bungalows at prices ranging from $4,500 upwards

WE RECOMMEND THE FOLLOWING

VERY well constructed eight-roomed semi-bungalow standing on three lots on one of South Oak Bay's best streets. These lots are ornamentally fenced, comprise a tennis lawn and garden. House contains drawing-room, dining-room, den, four bedrooms and the usual offices. There are two bathrooms upstairs and a complete suite, two rooms and a bathroom in the basement. Oil-O-Matic heating. Price $12,000

WE ALSO OFFER A VERY ATTRACTIVE five-room bungalow, practically new. Stucco construction, full-sized concrete basement. A common living-room, 14 x 20. Kitchen, a dining alcove, three bedrooms. This is situated within one block of the sea and stands on a lot and a half. Price $4500

WE ALSO OFFER A GOOD FOUR-room bungalow, living-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, frame construction, basement has not been concreted. Price $3000

LARGE FRAME AND STUCCO HOUSE, eight rooms, near High School. First-class condition, every convenience. Could not be replaced for under $6,000. Specially reduced to $3500

HIGH UP, INSIDE 3-MILE CIRCLE, North Quadra Street, three minutes from bus. Newly-built three-room cottage and furniture, ready to go into. On half acre best land, all cleared. Sacrifice price $850

READ THIS

$1250—FIVE ROOMS; large lot, fruit trees. Low taxes. Near beach and car line. JAMES BAY

$2650—SIX ROOMS, semi-bungalow, large lot, fine shade trees. Near Beacon Hill Park, beach and car line

$2850—SIX ROOMS, very attractive. A1 condition, cement basement, hot water heating

$4000—FIVE-ROOMED new stucco bungalow, basement, furnace. Garage. Beach and car line.

SOME CHEAP PROPERTIES

ORILLIA STREET—Three lots, 50 x 13, $125 each.
WOLSELEY STREET—One lot, 50 x 16, $225.
MOSS STREET, near Richardson, 90 x 110, $1,050.
FAIRFIELD ROAD, near Linden, 90 x 230, $1,800.

WATERFRONT

GREENWOOD DRIVE, 50 x 170, $450.
HOLLYWOOD CRESCENT, 160x150, $1,700
GORDON HEAD, two acres, beautifully wooded, $3,500.

FAIRFIELD AND HOLLYWOOD

WE have several very nice stucco bungalows in this very desirable district, ranging from $3,700 to $6,500, according to location and size. We shall be glad to show any or all of them to intending purchasers.

MACKENZIE AVENUE

8 ROOMS, in the very best of condition. Hardwood floors, basement all lined in V-joint. Hot air furnace. Large lot. The house is all in excellent condition $5500

SAANICH HOUSE — FORCED SALE

FOUR-ROOMED HOUSE, modern bathroom, basement; fruit trees, small fruits, chicken house, garage, miscellaneous lumber, windows, shingles for addition; stove, linoleum, tools, chickens, firewood, city water, light and phone. Taxes $10.35. Furniture $200 extra. Five minutes to school and store. $350 down, $20 monthly $1600

A REAL BUNGALOW, with large rooms, in fact, we have seldom seen more comfortable rooms, with high ceilings; several fireplaces, full basement, brick foundation. Not a new house but in very good condition and of much better construction than new ones. Situated on good lot, worth $1,200, on high ground, fairly close in and half block from Fort Street. The price is only $2000

PEMBERTON & SON
Phone 388 625 Fort Street

NEAR COOK AND RICHARDSON STREETS

$5500—VERY attractive home of eight well-lighted rooms, extra large living-room with open fireplace, cosy dining-room, sunroom and kitchen, four bedrooms with large cupboards. Upstairs porch. Bathroom and toilet separate. Full cement basement, sanitary tubs and hot air furnace. Garage. Nice flower garden. An excellent buy (No. 69)

SHELBOURNE STREET

$3100—NEW four-room stucco bungalow, large living-room, two bedrooms and bathroom. Full cement basement with hot air furnace. Garage with cement driveway. Cement walks and garden. Lot 40 x 170. (No. 151)

A. W. JONES, LTD.
1002 Broad Street Phone 196

THE BEST BUY IN OAK BAY

$4500—EXCEPTIONALLY ATTRACTIVE NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW of superior design and construction, well located on a large lot. Living-room, dining-room and hall have hardwood floors and French doors intervening; beautiful tiled fireplace in living-room, built-in bath; double closets in main bedroom. Concrete basement, furnace, combination sink and wash trays in kitchen. Solid concrete steps, concrete driveway and walk. Stucco garage. The rooms are spacious and well lighted, and the materials used throughout are of the best. A charming home and quite worth $5,250. Call or phone and we will gladly give you particulars

BRETT & KER, LTD.
Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents
Corner Government and View Streets
Phone 132

DON'T PAY RENT

$1500—FOUR rooms, bath and toilet. Two lots in garden. Suit elderly couple. Easy terms.
$1,675—North Park, close to Quadra. Seven rooms, gas, some furniture. Easy terms.
$1,600—Smith's Hill. Four rooms, modern, and garage.
$2,150—Almost new, stucco, five rooms, furnace, etc.
$2,200—Grahame St. Five rooms, modern.

JOSEPH C. BRIDGMAN
604 Broughton Street Phone 86

CHEAP HOMES

$150 CASH, FULL PRICE $550, buys a four-room cottage, plastered, light and water, in good repair. Just outside the city limits, Saanich. Taxes $7

$300 CASH, BALANCE OF $1,800 CAN remain on mortgage, five-room modern bungalow, full basement, garage. Handy to school and transportation. Belmont Avenue, close to Haultain Street.

LEE, PARSONS & CO., LTD.
1222 Broad Street

$2000

OR A VERY NEAR OFFER, WILL PURchase this modern five-roomed bungalow on one of the good streets, near Pemberton Road. The house is on a stone and brick foundation, and in very excellent state of repair (the exterior needs a coat of paint). The lot is large and worth $1,000, which leaves only $1,000 for the house—which has been rented at $25 per month.

Because the price is cheap do not think it is a tumbled down "heap." The price is fixed to close an estate

BROWN BROS. & ALLAN, LTD.
Phone 6705 711 Fort Street

$3500—NEW FIVE-ROOMED STUCCO bungalow, containing two bedrooms, 3-piece bath, sitting and dining-room, open fireplace. All latest fixtures in kitchen. Furnace heated. Fully cemented basement, wash tubs. Garage and newly laid out garden with grass lawns, etc., on lot 160 ft. deep. Immediate possession. Apply the Owner, 1630 Chandler Avenue. Telephone 7032 or 3631L.

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

BARGAIN CORNER LOT, ST. PATRICK Street, 67 x 106. Price $550, terms. Phone owner, 8280L1.

CHOICE LOTS — SHAWNIGAN LAKE waterfront, $750. Portage Inlet waterfront, $375. Gorge Road (corner), $375. Ross and Beechwood (corner), $650. Wellington Avenue, $850. Olive Street, two lots, $500 each. Room 5, 1112 Government.

FINE LARGE BUILDING LOT ON McPherson Avenue, water laid on, fruit trees, etc. Apply Owner, Box 9889, Colonist.

FOR SALE CHEAP, FROM OWNER—Large level lot, Patricia Bay. Phone 7136R.

FOR SALE—CHOICE LOT ON DOUGLAS Street, or will build for tenant. Good for plumbing or motor accessories. Near Hudson's Bay. Inquire 1609 Gladstone Avenue, or 1607 Douglas Street.

FOR SALE—NICE LOT, HIGH POSITION just back of St. Margaret's School. Some building material. Inquire 1609 Gladstone Avenue

HIGH QUADRA BUILDING SITE—1.3 acres, magnificent views. City water, light, power, phone. Four-mile circle. $650, 1-5 cash, balance over 5 years at 6%.

VICTORIA REALTY CO
616 View Street Phone 3036
"RELIABLE REALTORS"

LOT 9, MONTEREY AVENUE. BOX 193, Port Angeles, Wash.

STANNARD AVENUE, 50 x 120, $300 OR offer. Box 9733, Colonist.

WATERFRONT LOT, NO BETTER VIEW, 50 x 190. Price $1,200, terms. Phone owner, 8280L1.

WATERFRONT COUNTRY HOMES

WE have a good selection of beautiful waterfront properties, ranging in price from $2,500 to $10,000. See our list before buying

SUMMER CAMP SITES

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY

130 FT. x 100 FT. AT CORDOVA BAY, for $450.

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD.
640 Fort Street Phone 491

SELECTED SPECIAL LISTINGS

$550—SPLENDID LOT ON MONTEREY. See this without delay.
$800—MOUNT TOLMIE. Four-roomed house and lot.
$1,600—HILLSIDE. Four-roomed modern house. High healthy location
$6,500—FAIRFIELD. New stucco semi-bungalow of fine proportions. Tiled bathroom. Hardwood floors. Close to Dallas Road.

R. G. CHRISTY & CO., LTD.
623 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

80A BUSINESS PROPERTIES

25% NET ON THE CASH INVESTED

THIS should interest you. It can be obtained by purchasing store and apartment block, well situated. Down payment $3,500, total purchase price $9,500. Full particulars on request.

A SMALL INVESMENT with substantial return on your capital, is offered to the careful buyer who wants good security with the maximum of interest. The owner of a substantial duplex house divided into two five-room flats, in first class shape inside, gas stoves, etc., is leaving the city, and will, for a quick sale, take $4,000; nets 10%. Will exchange for $2,000 equity in a house and $2,000 cash.

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort Street Phone 388

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

PEMBERTON & SON

We Write All Classes of Insurance, Including Life

75 ACRES, 8 MILES OUT ON PAVED ROAD; 25 ACRES BLACK SOIL, IN CULTIVATION, BALANCE IN TIMBER. LARGE BARN, GRANARY, DAIRY, ETC. PER ACRE (TERMS) $75

STRAWBERRY LAND BARGAIN (OWNER AWAY)

5.7 ACRES, 3 ACRES ACTUALLY CLEARED AND FENCED, PACKING SHED. LAND ALONE COST OWNER $1,700; IMPROVEMENTS $500. $2,200 IN ALL, PLUS TAXES, WHICH ARE $16 PER ANNUM. WATER HAS BEEN DIVINED BUT NOT DUG FOR. OWNER SELLING ON ACCOUNT OF SICKNESS. STAGE FIVE MINUTES TO EAST SAANICH ROAD, SCHOOL ONE MILE. SACRIFICE PRICE (EASY TERMS) $1000

GOING CONCERN

DELIGHTFUL SECLUDED FARM

5 ACRES, 2½ acres loam soil, cultivated, 18 assorted fruit trees, quarter acre strawberries. Electric light and phone available. Good well and never-failing spring. Six-roomed, new, plastered bungalow, stucco finish, cement basement, open fireplace, hot and cold water. Horse, chickens, half ton potatoes, Ford car; 100 quarts jam. Ten minutes from stage and school bus. Barn, chicken accommodation, garage. $4,250, $2,500 down. Without stock, furniture and farm utensils (terms) $3500

4 ACRES, all cleared and under cultivation; about 1 acre in bearing orchard, various small fruits, including about half an acre of bearing logans. Unfailing water into house, which is newly built and consists of five rooms and Summer porch and basement. A new two-roomed double-boarded cottage. Various outbuildings. Close to lake, store, school and stage. Chickens, goat, utensils, range, and some furniture. Taxes $11 $4000

26 ACRES, 10 or more cleared. Five-six-roomed house. Unfailing well, which cost $700. Bearing orchard (Terms) $4250

EVER-RUNNING SPRING CREEK ... 5 ACRES, ON MAIN PAVED ROAD. ALL CLEARED AND FENCED. 1 ACRE IN BEARING ORCHARD; HALF ACRE IN LOGANS. A WELL-BUILT 5-ROOMED HOUSE, CEMENT BASEMENT; CHICKEN HOUSES FOR 300 BIRDS, BROODER HOUSE, SMALL COW STABLE, WOODSHED, ROOTHOUSE. ELECTRIC LIGHT AND PHONE ($2,750 DOWN, 8%) $4750

GOING CONCERN—CHICKEN FARM

5 ACRES, more or less, all cleared, large orchard, bearing, 200 trees. Four-roomed house, good water supply. Chicken houses for 700, three brooder houses, goat house, incubators, brooders, 700 chickens. Taxes $9.50. Reduced this month to (terms) $5500

PEMBERTON & SON
625 Fort Street Phone 388

A REAL GOOD FARM

ABOUT 80 ACRES, all cleared and first-class soil. A never-failing stream through this property. A modern house of six rooms, in first-class condition, a good barn and other outbuildings. Situated on main highway, close to good markets. This farm can be purchased, including machinery and implements, with or without valuable coal rights. The owner wishes to retire and will accept a very low price. Further information from the exclusive agents

EAGEL & COMPANY
Phone 532 120 Pemberton Bldg.

COLWOOD — NINE ACRES, HALF cleared, balance light brush. Just the place for chickens. With five-room cottage, plastered walls. At a reduced price of $3,000, on terms, or exchange for house in city. R. G. Christy, 623 Fort Street

FOURTEEN ACRES, WITH EXCEPTIONally big frontage on good road at Langford. This will make money for someone who buys it for $1050

FOUR ACRES WITH FURnished house and some stock $3500

H. A. HINCKS, Notary Public
Langford Phone Belmont 3

GENTLEMAN'S COUNTRY SEASIDE home sacrificed—Nine miles from Duncan. 9½ acres. Beautiful seven-roomed modern house, cost $9,000. Poultry houses and modern equipment for 3,000 birds. Two cottages, orchard, bathing-house, all supplied with electric light and water. Whole place cost $35,000, now $16,500. Bagshawe & Co., Sayward Bldg.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE (Continued)

LONE TREE MOUNTAIN LAKE SUBdivision, with waterfrontage. Lake full of trout. Also Section 78, Highland District, 160 acres, $1,000; good timber, and sheep pasturage. Box C, Millstream P.O.

EXTRAORDINARY

ONE of the nicest acre homesites in Victoria. A large building, 60 ft. long, 37 ft. wide, for the ridiculous price of $650. $250 cash, balance arranged. Splendid view of sea and mountains. Taxes $14. Good bus service. Water, light and phone.

WALLACE ARCHER
1239 Broad Street Phone 1745

CORDOVA BAY WATERFRONT

TEN ACRES OF GOOD LAND PARTLY cleared and in crop. This is an extraordinarily fine piece of property and is priced for quick sale at only $8,000, on terms. For further particulars apply to—

T. B. MONK & CO.
613 View Street Phone 1970

TRUCK GARDENER'S OPPORTUNITY—26½ acres best black soil, drained and watered. Comfortable six-roomed house. Close to transportation. Price $12,000. C. S. Marchant, 130 Pemberton Building. Phone 3674.

$5000—DEEP COVE, NORTH SAANICH. Furnished house on the waterfront, with fine sandy beach. Wide verandas. Pleasant grounds, garage, etc.

SPARLING
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ACREAGE SNAPS

3 ACRES, ALL CLEARED $900
1½ acres, small dwelling 950
10 acres, Cordova Bay 1,000
10 acres, Stelly Crossroad 1,200

F. F. HIGGS, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

SAANICH ARM

30 ACRES, WATERFRONTAGE, GENTLE slope. 20 cleared, rest in wood. Electric light and telephone are available. Water can be easily obtained. Thirty-five minutes from Victoria by bus which passes the gate. PRICE $12,000.

GRANT & HOPE
642 Fort Street Phone 1340

64 ACRES, 10 ACRES PLOUGHED, ready for crop, 30 acres partly cleared. Stream through property. Suitable chickens, stock or fruit. Good district. Price $5,500. Box 9853, Colonist.

7 ACRES, CLEARED: IDEAL FOR logans. In fruit district, Keating Crossroad. $250 per acre. Box 9854, Colonist.

GORDON HEAD DISTRICT

$1200—4½ ACRES on Feltham Road. About 1½ acres under cultivation. Two-roomed house. Terms arranged

$2500—OVER 7 ACRES, in high location, with sea view, on Edgelow Road. About 4½ acres in high state of cultivation, balance nicely timbered. Terms arranged.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.
Phone 55 608 View Street

83 ACREAGE TO RENT

$15—FIVE ACRES WITH SIX-ROOM house, barn, orchard; city light, water and phone. $25—1½ acres, four-room house, chicken house, garage; all conveniences; close city. W. J. Gilliland & Co., 1303 Douglas St. Phone 5592.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

ADVERTISER WISHES TO RENT 20 TO 35 acres of pasture, with living house. Must be within reasonable distance of city. Reply at once to Box 7201, Colonist

WANTED—75 TO 100 ACRES UP THE Island; some waterfront. Must be good shooting, fishing, warm bathing. Prefer deal direct. Full particulars by mail to T. M. Anderson, 1801 Hollywood Crescent.

WANTED TO RENT, WITH OPTION TO buy; partly improved acreage, with buildings, close to school. Box 9746, Colonist.

20 ACRES, OR THEREABOUTS, ALL cultivated, small house and barn, city water; four to five miles to city. Full particulars to Box 9357, Colonist.

86 FARMS FOR RENT

6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, ELECtric light and water laid on. Eight acres of land; 65 fruit trees, pasture field, chicken houses, garage, tennis court. This property is well located, with fine view over the water; near the city. Will lease to reliable tenant.

J. N. HOLLAND, 208 Pemberton Blk.

TO LET—VERY DESIRABLE SUBURBAN house, fully modern; 2½ acres land. Outbuildings. Paved highway. Immediate possession. Heisterman, Forman & Co., 608 View Street

THE VICTORIA LUMBER & MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the head office of the company, No. 918 Government Street, in the City of Victoria (the office of Bodwell & Lawson) on Tuesday, the 3rd day of April, 1928, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving and dealing with the annual balance-sheet of the company and the auditor's report thereon, electing the directors of the company, and appointing the auditors of the company for the ensuing year, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 1st day of March, A.D., 1928.

A. E. STUBBS,
Assistant Secretary.

IN THE MATTER OF Lot 3 of part of Lot 2, Block J, Fairfield Estate, Victoria City, Plan 1215.

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 5166-I to the above mentioned land, in the name of John Avery, and bearing date the 24th day of December, 1912, I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue a provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate.

Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 3rd day of March, 1928.

H. J. CRANE,
Registrar, Victoria Land Registration District.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

Tenders for Electrical Supplies

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., April 18, 1928, for the following:

50 Cedar Poles, 45 ft. long
150 800-Candlepower Lamps
1,300 8-Volt Nitrogen Lamps
576 Glass Ball Globes

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on envelope, "Tender for Electrical Supplies." A marked cheque for 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., March 24, 1928.

NOTICE

To the Growers of Hothouse Tomatoes and Cucumbers of Vancouver Island and Adjacent Islands

The adjourned meeting of March 10, 1928, will be held in the Chamber of Commerce at Victoria, on Saturday, April 7, at 2:30 p.m.

VICTORIA CO-OPERATIVE HOTHOUSE ASSOCIATION
G. W. Riddle, Pres.

To Builders and Others

90 x 110 feet on Moss Street, near Richardson. Excellent location; good soil. Reduced for quick sale to $800 Cash.

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Named Vice-President Of Big Agency

MR. LIONEL J. W. BENISON

Elected vice-president of McCannell & Fergusen, Limited, a leading advertising agency with offices in Montreal, London, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver. Mr. Benison has been a director of the company and manager at Montreal for twelve years.

New York Stock Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 31. — The stock was a reactionary affair today. Leading stocks were traded in on a large scale again, but the market leaders attracted liberal selling on the early bulge. Radio was offered rather freely. General Motors was in fair supply, and its action affected the independent motors. Steel trended lower, Coppers also trended with the market leaders. Greene Cananea was one of these in liberal supply. New York Central was easier, but the main body of rail shares held fairly well. Oils held steady around last night's close. General Electric and Westinghouse were traded in on a large scale, but did not maintain their early high levels.

The weekly trade reviews reported trade and industrial reports more spotted, wholesale and jobbing trade fair and about equal to a year ago. Announcement that Willys-Overland had cut prices on all Willys-Knight standard sixes $150 and increased production to 2,000 cars daily, was reported in the early news. The Hudson Motor Co. reported January shipments more than 25,000, February more than 30,000, and March in excess of 35,000 cars. The Hudson Motor issues reacted with the main body of stocks.

Today's developments stock marketwise, were not surprising, and were based more on technical conditions within the market itself. The fresh bulges in the industrial section are now bringing out rather liberal selling, and this may be a condition that may have to be contended with from now on.

Dow Jones Averages March 31:
20 Industrials 213.33, off 1.10.
20 Rails 141.25, off .71.

Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 31.—Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says today:

"At some week-end I will be justified in advising you to cash in your profits, but this is not the week-end as the market promises to continue to reward us with higher prices today and then further advances next week.

"The oils have clearly disclosed that they are going to participate in the advance from this point on, while the same will be true of the rails.

"You are again advised that U.S. Leather "A" is a bargain in the 60's. The earnings will be equal to approximately $4.50 per share in the first quarter.

"The move in Willys-Overland will be resumed today.

"Since Marland is no longer available under 40, the only thing to do is to buy it where you can get it.

"Now that the oils are definitely in the speculative picture, be sure and own some General Asphalt, which can always be relied upon for a real move whenever the oil group has half a chance.

"Hershey Chocolate is at a new record, and on the move should go higher.

"The advance in Westinghouse Electric has been resumed, and more liberal advances are expected by the stock before the move is over.

TEMPERATURE HIGH DURING LAST MONTH

But Summer Mercury Does Not Carry Normal Amount of Sunshine—Rainfall Low

Temperatures swinging between almost Summer heat at the one extreme and a few degrees above freezing at the other, were experienced in Victoria during March, according to figures given by Mr. Napier Denison, superintendent of the Dominion Meteorological Bureau, Gonzales Heights, last evening. The tendency of the mercury was definitely upward rather than downward, the statistics show. The mean temperature was forty-seven degrees, which was three degrees above the average. The highest temperature was sixty-seven, on March 19; the lowest was thirty-five, on March 25.

Despite ample lay opinion to the contrary, rainfall for March was below the average, the total precipitation, 2.09 inches, being .22 inch less than normal. Rain fell on sixteen days. But even with subnormal rainfall there was also subnormal amount of sunshine, the total of 169 hours and six minutes being six hours below average. There were four days without any sunshine.

Ancient Yokel (who has been knocked into the river by motorist) — "Oi don't intend to let you help me out. It were your fault, and Oi intend to bide 'ere till a policeman comes."

Two Paper Companies Merge Their Interests

Announcement Affecting Crown Willamette and Zellerbach Company Is of Great Importance to British Columbia Industry

The announcement of the merger of the Crown Willamette and Zellerbach Corporations, which was received yesterday, is of great importance to British Columbia, owing to the interests of the companies in this province.

The former company is already interested in British Columbia paper enterprises, and under its Canadian incorporation, the Canadian Crown Willamette holds control of the Pacific mills and contemplates the development of the Campbell River.

Two years ago it was announced that the Graham Island Timber Company and Zellerbach Corporation of Los Angeles, and several lesser concerns primarily interested in the financing of pulp and paper projects on the Pacific Coast, had been merged.

The Graham Island Timber Company owned considerable tracts of timber on the Queen Charlotte Islands, which produced a large proportion of the aeroplane spruce bought during the war by the Imperial Munitions Board.

It was expected, then, that the company would either raft the timber to California or send it to plants controlled in the State of Washington. The capitalization of the company was stated then to be about $6,000,000.

DANCE DEFIANCE TOO STRONG

To demonstrate that Japanese dances were much better than those from America, a band of Kokusuldan men (preservers of national characteristics) caused a small panic in the Imperial Hotel, Tokio, during a recent ball of foreigners and Japanese. The invaders, in kimono, suddenly appeared and pushed their way to the middle of the floor. The dancers stopped by the unexpected intrusion, one of the band made an announcement in such poor English that only his "Ladies and Gentlemen" could be understood. After the announcement another of the band drew a sword and brandished it in the air as he danced to music sung by the intruders. Many foreign women were overcome and hung to their escorts who were trembling with fear. The band left the place immediately after they had finished their dance.

Crazed With Neuralgia, Relief Seemed Impossible

Tells How Suffering Ended—Remarkable Statement of New Brunswick Resident

Petersville, N.B., March 31.—The experience of Mrs. Harry L. McDonald is not an unusual one. "I would have gone crazy with the pain of neuralgia and toothache had I not secured relief. My suffering was terrible. As soon as I used Nerviline I got relief. I wouldn't be without Nerviline. My children and my husband caught bad colds and had to go to bed. Nerviline was rubbed on their sore throats, they used it as a gargle, and in a short time they were well. I consider a 35c bottle of Nerviline a necessity in every home."—Mrs. Harry F. McDonald.

For coughs, colds, sore throat, neuralgia and rheumatism, Nerviline will prove a boon to all that use it. (Advt.)

VERY HARD RED PIMPLES ON FACE

Was Terribly Disfigured. Healed by Cuticura.

"My trouble began with small pimples breaking out all over my face. They were very hard and red and scaled over. The pimples burned, especially when I rubbed them, and my face was terribly disfigured. The trouble lasted over a period of six months.

"I used several well-known remedies without success. I decided to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment so purchased some, and after using two boxes of Cuticura Ointment, along with the Cuticura Soap, I am grateful to say that I am completely healed." (Signed) Eldred Clark, Box 87, Mountain, Ont.

Rely on Cuticura Soap and Ointment to keep your skin clear.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address Canadian Depot: "Stenhouse, Ltd., Montreal." Price, Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c.
Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

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In our Large Auction Hall, corner of Pandora Avenue and Blanshard Street,

Superior Furniture

Nice Piano, Gramophones, Excellent Beds, Extra Good Kitchen Cabinet, Walnut and Oak Dining-Room Suites, Good Ranges, Etc.

(Full particulars later)

Note:—Goods for these popular Sales received or sent for up to 10 a.m., Thursday, and are insured against fire while in our premises.

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AUCTIONEERS

Instructed by the different owners, we will sell at our Salesrooms, 727-733 Pandora Avenue, on

WEDNESDAY, 1:30

A Wonderful Display of

High-Class Furniture
English Wilton Carpets

Included in the furniture will be: Pedal Organ by Doherty & Co., a small Thomas Organ, a fine Edison Cabinet Phonograph and Lot of Records; 5-Tube Radio complete, 7-Tube Radio, and a 4-Tube Radio complete with Mahogany Cabinet; Chesterfield in Tapestry, nice 3-Piece Mahogany Parlor Suite, splendid Upholstered Chairs, Fumed Oak Library Table, Oak Hall Seat with Hall Mirror to match, 7-Drawer Drophead Singer Sewing Machine, a number of very fine Mahogany Centre Tables, Mission Oak Card Table, several nice Rattan Chairs, a number of Oak and Mahogany Jardiniere Stands, a very fine Chesterfield Table, Oak Arm Chairs and Rockers Upholstered in Leather, Set of Golf Clubs, a nice lot of Sporting and other Pictures, quantity of Books, splendid English Fringed-Edge Wilton Carpets and other good Carpets and Rugs, a very pretty Dark Oak Dining-Room Suite (this would make a splendid set for a small dining-room), 2 very superior Fumed Oak Dining-Room Suites (these are 2 nice sets), several pieces of Linoleum; 3 All-Brass Simmons Walnut and White Enamel Beds, with Springs and Ostermoor Mattresses; splendid Oak and Mahogany Chiffoniers; extra fine Mahogany, Oak, Cream and White Enamel Dressers and Dressing Tables, Pillows, Blankets, Sheets, Cushions, Toiletware and other Bedroom Pieces, Kitchen Tables and Chairs, lot of nice Kitchenware, Chinaware, Ornaments, Case of Cutlery, Carving Sets, Gas Range, Ruud Gas Water Heater, 9 good Steel Ranges, Franklin Parlor Stove, Lawn Mowers, Hose, Garden Tools, Wheelbarrows, Meat Safes, Stepladders, Etc. This is a list of the most important articles from the furnishings of 3 nice homes, all of which are in our rooms and can be seen from Monday on.

Also Our Usual Sale, at 10:30, of Potatoes, Chickens, Etc.

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AUCTIONEERS

Friday of this week being a holiday, and as our Wednesday sale is complete, we will sell at Salesrooms, 727-733 Pandora Avenue, on

THURSDAY, 1:30

Large Quantity of

Furniture and Effects

Table, Piano, Showcases, 10 Steel Ranges, Etc.

A full list will appear later.

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STEWART WILLIAMS & CO.
AUCTIONEERS

Duly instructed, will sell by Public Auction at their Rooms, 721 Courtney Street, opposite the Alexandra House, on

Tuesday, April 3

At 2 o'Clock, a Quantity of

Household Furnishings and Effects

Including Bluthner Baby Grand Piano in Rosewood Case, Mahogany Antique Chairs, Burl Walnut Table, Oak Dining-Room Extension Table and six Chairs to match, Mahogany Upholstered in Tapestry Occasional Chair, Fumed Oak Chair Upholstered in Leather, Cedar Chest, Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, Cream Enamel Bedroom Suite consisting of Double Bed with Coil Springs, Bureau and Chiffonier, Simmons Double and Twin Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Gilt Continuous Post Three-Quarter Bed, Spring and Mattress; Wilton Carpet, 9 x 12; Oak Bureau and Chest of Drawers, old Club Card Table, Extension Table, Electro-Plated Ware, Glassware and Specimen China, Lawnmowers and Catchers, Garden Tools, Hose and Reel, Linoleum and other goods too numerous to mention.

Goods for this sale will be received up to Monday evening.

Full particulars in Tuesday's paper.

On view Monday afternoon.

For further particulars apply to

Stewart Williams

The Auctioneer
410-411 Sayward Bldg. Phone 1324

VOTERS DESIRE STORAGE PLANT

WORK ON NEW PROJECT TO COMMENCE IN MAY AT COST OF $2,000,000

New Westminster Agrees to Guarantee $300,000 of Company Bond Issue

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 31.—By the emphatic vote of 1,907 to 132, New Westminster voters ratified the agreement entered into between the city and the Pacific Coast Terminals, Limited, whereby the company will spend upwards of $2,000,000 on a cold storage plant, dock and terminal equipment and take over the existing Fraser River Dock & Stevedoring Company.

The vote was the largest ever cast in the city with only a by-law at stake. The city agrees to guarantee $300,000 of the bond issue, set a fixed assessment on certain waterfront property and guarantee produce from the Fraser Valley for cold storage up to $30,000 a year for ten years.

Sir Henry Thornton is on the directorate, and this gave strength to the voting. Agreements have been entered into with the Canadian National Railways, Canadian National Steamships, Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, while co-operation with the terminal scheme has been promised by the Canadian Pacific, British Columbia Electric Railway, Great Northern and the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railways.

Construction work will commence on the plant early in May. In the meantime, freighters for lumber, bar metal and other commodities will be handled at the plant of the existing dock company.

WEST COAST SERVICE

The Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria at 11 p.m. on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month to Port Alice and way ports.

Fisheries Report to Be Available Soon

OTTAWA, March 31.—Hon. P. J. A. Cardin, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, informed the Commons today that he hoped to be able to table the report of the Royal Commission on Fisheries after the Easter recess. He made this statement in answer to questions by W. G. Ernst, Conservative, Lunenburg.

O.S.K. VESSELS INCREASE SPEED

Crossing From Yokoham to Victoria Will Now Be Made in Twelve Days

Word was received yesterday by local agents of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha line that, with the sailing of Ss. Africa Maru from Yokohama for Victoria on April 5, service between the coast and Japan will be cut down to twelve days across the Pacific.

During the Winter months thirteen days were allowed for the crossing to take care of adverse weather conditions. The liners will now have to maintain an average speed of fourteen knots.

The Arizona Maru, Alabama Maru, Arabia Maru and Africa Maru are able to follow the schedule without difficulty, and have accommodations aboard for forty-two first class and 165 third class travelers each. It is understood that the faster schedule is for the benefit of Summer travel and to speed up silk shipments.

NOOERDERDYK IS DUE HERE TODAY

Latest advices received from the Holland-Amerika freighter Nooerderdyk, Capt. Filippo, by local agents, are that she will dock about 5 o'clock this afternoon. For this port there is 100 tons of cargo from the United Kingdom and Continent.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Transcontinental and Local Trains and Coast Steamship Service

The "Imperial" (through Vancouver-Montreal train) leaves Vancouver at 9 p.m. daily, also carrying through standard sleeper to Chicago via Minneapolis and St. Paul.

"The Toronto Express" leaves at 9 a.m. daily.

"Coast-Kootenay Express" leaves at 7:30 p.m. daily.

"Fraser Valley Local" leaves at 5:15 p.m. daily.

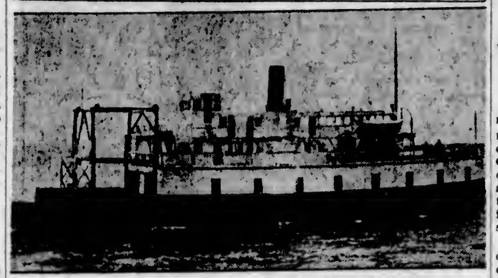
"Vancouver - Huntingdon" leaves at 7:30 a.m. daily except Sunday.

COAST STEAMSHIP SERVICE

To Seattle, Victoria, Nanaimo Powell River, Prince Rupert, Alaska, Gulf Islands, etc.

Full particulars upon request.

Ferry Starts Thursday



MR. E. E. Blackwood, local agent for the Puget Sound Navigation Company, announced yesterday that the automobile and passenger ferry, City of Angeles, will leave Sidney daily at 8:30 o'clock for Anacortes on and after Thursday morning. Stops en route will be made at Roche Harbor, Orcas and Lopez Island. The vessel, in command of Capt. Sam Barlow, veteran Puget Sound skipper, will leave Anacortes daily for Sidney at 1 p.m. The stage from Victoria connecting with the morning trip will leave the city at 7:45 o'clock. On May 16 the ferry schedule will be changed so that two trips daily will be made each way.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, March 31.—Arrived: Ipswich, Sidney M. Hauptman, Portland; Emma Alexander, Caddopeak, Tacoma; William A. McKenney, Doylestown, Alaska Standard, San Francisco; Lakina, Nanaimo; West Ison, Port Ludlow, Pacific Pine, New York. Sailed: Point Judith, Aleutians, Tacoma, Alaska, Southeastern Alaska, J. R. Gordon, Portland, Columbian, San Francisco, Kinkasan Maru, Yokohama.

KETCHIKAN, March 31.—Sailed: Admiral Watson, southbound.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 31.—Arrived: Andrea F. Luckenbach, Boston; Davenport, San Francisco; Munami, Los Angeles; Ms. Tongking, Hamburg; Barbara C., Grays Harbor. Sailed: Andrea F. Luckenbach, Seattle; Admiral Schley, San Diego; Thomas P. Beal, New York.

TACOMA, March 31.—Arrived: Nankoh Maru, Osaka; Emma Alexander, Caddopeak, Seattle; Childar, San Francisco. Sailed: Emma Alexander, Columbian, Seattle; Eldridee, Shanghai; Bordeaux Maru, Everett.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 31.—Arrived: Norway Maru, Yokohama; Fiske, Port-Portland; Washtenaw, Nabesna, Marsodak, San Pedro; La Purisima, Astoria, Muria, Antwerp; Panama, Grays Harbor. Sailed: West Montop, Minnesota, Boobyalla, James Griffiths, Kentuckian, Seattle; Admiral Peary, Admiral Peoples, Munison, Cross Keys, San Pedro; Kvichak, Loring, Kenowis, Californian, New York; Schiretoko, Japan; Shinyo Maru, Hong Kong; Malama, Astoria; Limon, Port Limon; Kawanee, Katherine G. Sudden, Nabesna, Portland; Maliko, Honolulu, Canadian Observer, Victoria.

Arrived

TRIESTE, March 25.—Leime, Vancouver.

TSING TAO, March 27.—West Prospect, San Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, March 29.—Arabia Maru, Vancouver. March 28, Iyo Maru, Seattle.

PLYMOUTH, March 30.—West Calera, San Francisco.

MANILA, March 3.—Grace Dollar, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, March 31.—Pacific Maru, San Francisco.

Sailed

YOKOHAMA, March 31.—Tayo Maru, San Francisco.

GLASGOW, March 30.—Pacific Enterprise, Tacoma.

CHINWANGTAO, March 30.—Steel Mariner, Port Townsend.

PANAMA CANAL, March 30.—Hannawa, San Francisco; Ovington Court, Pacific Ports; Sulanierco, San Pedro; Yaye Maru, Charleston for Portland.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Squally; southeast; fresh; 29.52; 43; rough.

PACHENA—Showers; south; fresh; 29.62; 43; choppy.

CARMANAH—Showers; east; 29.55; light swell.

CAPE BEALE—Cloudy; hail; showers; south; strong; 29.56; choppy.

PRINCE RUPERT—Part cloudy; southeast, light; 29.50; 45; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

Estevan, 6 p.m., unless otherwise stated.

STEWART DOLLAR—San Francisco for Seattle, 253 miles from San Francisco.

WILLBRO—One hundred and thirty-six miles from Seattle, inbound.

MANA—Astoria for Honolulu, 30 miles from Astoria.

MALA—San Francisco for Knapton, 54 miles from San Francisco.

CHARLES WATSON—Wrangell for Port Wells, 126 miles from Port Wells.

OLYMONT—Port Angeles for San Francisco, 365 miles from San Francisco.

SYDLAND—San Pedro for Vancouver, 160 miles south of San Francisco.

PRESIDENT TAFT—San Francisco for Honolulu, 1,656 miles from Honolulu.

BEARPORT—Hong Kong for San Francisco, 657 miles from San Francisco.

CAPE OF GOOD HOPE—Olympia for Nagoya, 210 miles from Olympia.

BENGLOE—Yokohama for Vancouver, 700 miles from Estevan.

RADIANT—Left Astoria for Portland, 6.10 p.m.

W. S. MILLER—San Pedro for Portland, 212 miles from Portland.

W. R. CHAMBERLAIN, JR.—Eureka for Everett, 66 miles from Everett.

DOYLESTOWN—Arrived Seattle from Port Angeles, 10 p.m.

SILVERADO—San Francisco for Portland, 300 miles from San Francisco.

IOSSIFOGLU—San Pedro for Port Townsend, at noon, 586 miles from Port Townsend.

C.N.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER — Sails from Fraser Mills for Halifax, April 2.

CANADIAN MILLER—Due Victoria from St. John, May 12.

CANADIAN SPINNER—At Halifax.

CANADIAN WINNER—Due Victoria from Halifax, June 15.

CANADIAN SEIGNEUR—Left Louisburg for Victoria, March 21; due here April 17.

CANADIAN COASTER—Sails for California from Fraser Mills, April 1.

CANADIAN FARMER—Left Ocean Falls for San Pedro, March 26; due Victoria April 11.

CANADIAN OBSERVER—Left San Pedro for San Francisco, March 27; due Victoria, April 4.

CANADIAN ROVER—Due Victoria from California, April 16.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

NOOERDERDYK—From United Kingdom, April 1.

TEUCER—From Orient, April 2.

KASTALIA—From United Kingdom, April 5.

YOKOHAMA MARU — From Orient, April 7.

PACIFIC PIONEER—From United Kingdom, April 8.

PRESIDENT GRANT — From Orient, April 8.

AFRICA MARU—From Orient, April 17.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Orient, April 15.

AFRICA MARU—From Orient, April 17.

TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, April 21.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT—From United Kingdom, April 22.

RADNORSHIRE—From United Kingdom, April 22.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—From Orient, April 23.

TYNDAREUS—From Orient, April 24.

AORANGI—From Antipodes, April 27.

ARIZONA MARU—From Orient, April 27.

KAGA MARU—From Orient, May 2.

PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—From United Kingdom, May 4.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—From Orient, May 6.

PRESIDENT PIERCE — From Orient, May 7.

PARTHENIA—From United Kingdom, May 10.

IYO MARU—From Orient, May 15.

PROTESILAUS—From Orient, May 15.

PACIFIC EXPORTER — From United Kingdom, May 20.

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, May 25.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, May 27.

TOKIWA MARU—From Orient, May 30.

To Sail

AFRICA MARU—For Orient, April 2.

TALTHYBIUS—For Orient, April 3.

NIAGARA—For Antipodes, April 4.

SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, April 5.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Orient, April 7.

ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, April 9.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY — For Orient, April 9.

YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, April 21.

PRESIDENT GRANT—For Orient, April 21.

TEUCER—For Orient, April 24.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, April 26.

AFRICA MARU—For Orient, April 27.

AORANGI—For Antipodes, May 2.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—For Orient, May 5.

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, May 12.

TYNDAREUS—For Orient, May 15.

KAGA MARU—For Orient, May 16.

EMPRESS OF CANADA—For Orient, May 17.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—For Orient, May 19.

ARABIA MARU—For Orient, May 24.

IYO MARU—For Orient, May 29.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

APRIL, 1928

China and Japan

TALTHYBIUS—Mails close April 2, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 19.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close April 7, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 16; Shanghai, April 23; Hong Kong, April 29.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY — Mails close April 9, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 22; Shanghai, April 26; Hong Kong, April 29.

ALABAMA MARU (Japan and Shanghai only)—Mails close April 10, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, April 25; Shanghai, May 6.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Mails close April 21, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 4; Shanghai, May 9; Hong Kong, May 11.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close April 25, 9 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 7; Shanghai, May 11; Hong Kong, May 14.

AFRICA MARU (Japan only)—Mails close May 2, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 17.

Australia and New Zealand

NIAGARA—Mails close April 4, 5 p.m. Due at Auckland, April 23; Sydney, April 28.

VENTURA (Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close April 5, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, May 2.

MAKURA—Mails close April 16, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington, May 7; Sydney, May 13.

AORANGI—Mails close May 2, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland, May 21; Sydney, May 26.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE

Table Showing Transit Time From Victoria

Eastbound daily, including Sunday. Air mail closing tonight at 11 o'clock.

Boise, Idaho; arrives day after tomorrow, 9.20 a.m.

Boston, Mass.; arrives on the fourth day, 6.25 a.m.

*Buffalo, N.Y.; arrives on the third day, 3.05 p.m.

Chicago, Ill.; arrives on the third day, 5.45 a.m.

Cleveland, Ohio; arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.

Dallas, Texas; arrives on the fourth day, 6 a.m.

Denver, Colo.; arrives on the third day, 6.55 a.m.

Detroit, Mich.; arrives on the third day, 12 noon.

Minneapolis, Minn.; arrives on the third day, 11.40 a.m.

New Orleans, La.; arrives on the fourth day, 10.20 a.m.

*New York, N.Y.; arrives on the third day, 6.40 p.m.

Omaha, Nebr.; arrives on the third day, 12.20 a.m.

Ottawa, Ont.; arrives on the fourth day, 7 a.m.

*Philadelphia, Pa.; arrives on the third day, 7.06 p.m.

*Pittsburgh, Pa.; arrives on the third day, 1.45 p.m.

St. Louis, Mo.; arrives on the third day, 9.15 a.m.

St. Paul, Minn.; arrives on the third day, 11.30 a.m.

Salt Lake City, Utah; arrives day after tomorrow, 12.50 p.m.

*Toronto, Ont.; arrives on the third day, 9.25 p.m.

Washington, D.C.; arrives on the fourth day, 9 a.m.

Southbound daily, except Sunday. Air mail closing this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

*San Francisco, Cal.; arrives tomorrow, 1.15 p.m.

*Fresno, Cal.; arrives tomorrow, 6.15 p.m.

*Los Angeles, Cal.; arrives tomorrow, 6.15 p.m.

San Diego, Cal.; arrives day after tomorrow, 9.30 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.

Salvation Army Man to Sail for The Antipodes

WINNIPEG, March 31.—En route to Australia to conduct the Salvation Army Congress meetings, Commissioner Henry Mapp, representative in London for Canada, Australia and the United States, arrived in Winnipeg today from Toronto. Directly after his arrival from England, Commissioner Mapp visited several points in Eastern Canada and the United States. He was met on arrival here by officers of the headquarters staff and will remain in this city for a short time before proceeding to Vancouver from which point he will sail for the Commonwealth.

Miss Victoria II is still tied up at the Causeway boathouse pending an investigation by customs officials. Although the vessel is said to have been fired upon, an inspection yesterday failed to reveal any trace of bullet holes.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

The Ss. Otter will leave Victoria on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:15 a.m. and the Princess Royal on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. to Gulf Islands points.

PACKING FIRMS COMBINE FORCES

Wood, Gundy & Co., Ltd., and Associates Acquire 110,000 Shares of Common Stock

TORONTO, March 31. — Announcement was made here last night of the formation of a new company to be known as British Columbia Packers, Limited, to take over the British Columbia Fishing and Packing Company, Limited, and the Gosse Packing Company, Limited, and operate them under a single control.

The new company will issue its own common shares in exchange for common shares of the two constituent companies. There are outstanding 99,608 common shares of British Columbia Fishing and Packing Company stock, and 20,000 common shares of Gosse Packing Company. Consequently, 119,608 common shares of the new company will be required to complete these exchanges.

It is understood that 110,000 of the new company's common shares have been sold to Wood, Gundy & Co., Ltd., and associates, for $1,000,000 in cash. This will provide additional working capital for the combined businesses.

The plan will become effective upon acquisition by the new company of the majority of the common shares of each of the constituents.

CONFERENCE TO OPEN THURSDAY

Prominent Steamship Officials Will Convene Here From April 5 to 14

VANCOUVER, March 31.—Several prominent steamship executives of San Francisco are scheduled to leave here tomorrow for the annual meeting of the Pacific Westbound Conference and the joint gathering of this group with the Atlantic Far East Conference at Victoria, April 5 to 14.

M. J. Buckley, of the Dollar Line; G. E. Chapin, of the N.Y.K. Line, and E. J. A. Watts, of the Pacific Westbound Conference, are among those who will leave tomorrow.

The Victoria Motor Boat and Repair Works expect to let the Impala down into the water on Monday. The cabin of the vessel has been completely rebuilt, and new gasoline tanks have been installed.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA

APRIL

Date	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1	3 10	8.4	5 30	7.0	11.25	7.3	18 52	3.2
2	2.24	8.1	6 26	5.3	12 40	7.2	19.20	2.7
3	2 51	7.9	8.50	5.4	13 48	7.1	20.15	4.2
4	2.50	7.6	9:15	4.7	14 52	7.0	20.52	4.8
5	3.02	6.0	9 49	4.1	15 55	7.0	21 28	5.4
6	3.16	8.1	10 24	3.6	17:01	6.9	22 06	7.0
7	3 31	8.1	11 02	3.2	18:17	6.9	22.53	6.6
8	3 29	8.2	11 43	2.9				
9	3:17	8.2	12:27	2.7				
10	2:25	8.5	13 14	2.9				
11	2.51	6.6	14.03	2.5				
12	4 22	8.7	14 53	2.5				
13	5 01	8.5	15.44	2.5				
14	2 11	8.2	15.25	2.6				
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16	1:12	7.7	9 45	6.7	11 02	7.1	18 15	2.1
17	1:20	7.9	7 17	5.6	12:26	7.2	19:02	2.5
18	1:36	8.0	7 53	4.5	13 48	7.2	19 50	4.1
19	1 56	6.2	8.35	3.3	14 56	7.4	20:25	4.9
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The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees Drydock add 20 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

APRIL

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1926.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	5 54	6 40	16	5 20	7 05
2	5 52	6 42	17	5 16	7 06
3	5 46	6 44	18	5 19	7 08
4	5 47	6 46	19	5 14	7.09
5	5 44	6 48	20	5.12	7 10
6	5 42	6 50	21	5 11	7 12
7	5 26	6 51	22	5 09	7:13
8	5 27	6 53	23	5 06	7 14
9	5 25	6 54	24	5 06	7 16
10	5 33	6 56	25	5 04	7 17
11	5 31	6 58	26	5 02	7 18
12	5 29	6 56	27	5 01	7 20
13	5 27	7 00	28	5 00	7 21
14	5 24	7 02	29	4 59	7 22
15	5 22	7 03	30	4 57	7:24

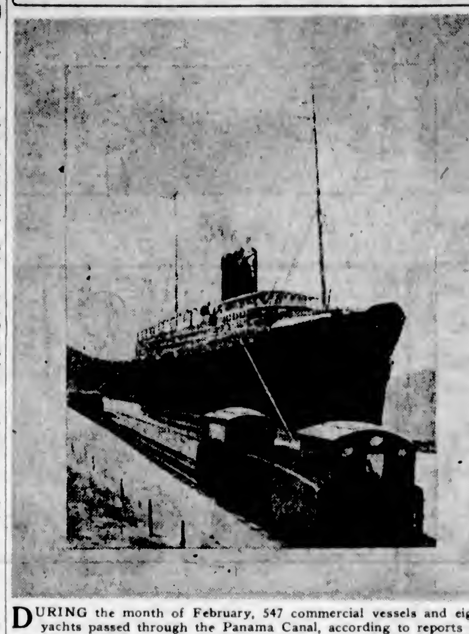
MOONRISE AND MOONSET

APRIL

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of April, 1928.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	2 03 p.m.	5 01 a.m.
2	4 12 p.m.	5 23 a.m.
3	6 20 p.m.	5 42 a.m.
4	6 26 p.m.	6 29 a.m.
5	7 30 p.m.	6 17 a.m.
	(Full Moon)	
6	8 25 p.m.	6 34 a.m.
7	9 41 p.m.	6 54 a.m.
8	10 46 p.m.	7 17 a.m.
9	11 50 p.m.	7 44 a.m.
10		8 17 a.m.
11	0 51 a.m.	8 59 a.m.
12	1 46 a.m.	9 50 a.m.
13	2 24 a.m.	10 51 a.m.
	(Last Quarter)	
14	2 12 a.m.	12 00 p.m.
15	2 46 a.m.	1 16 p.m.
16	4 13 a.m.	2 22 p.m.
17	4 37 a.m.	3 02 p.m.
18	5 00 a.m.	5 16 p.m.
19	6 22 a.m.	5 40 p.m.
20	5 48 a.m.	6 04 p.m.
	(New Moon)	
21	6 14 a.m.	8 31 p.m.
22	6 47 a.m.	10 04 p.m.
23	7 29 a.m.	
24	8 20 a.m.	0 09 a.m.
25	9 22 a.m.	1 11 a.m.
26	10 32 a.m.	2 00 a.m.
	(First Quarter)	
27	11 42 a.m.	2 28 a.m.
28	12 54 p.m.	2 06 a.m.
29	2 03 p.m.	2 29 a.m.
30	2 11 p.m.	2 40 a.m.

Canal Traffic Is Heavy



DURING the month of February, 547 commercial vessels and eight yachts passed through the Panama Canal, according to reports received here. Tolls on commercial vessels aggregated $2,253,755.37, and on the yachts $63.30, a total collection of $2,253,818.67. The daily average number of seagoing vessels for the month was 18.86, the daily average tolls collection being $77,715.70. The average amount of tolls paid by each of the transits was $4,120.21, as compared with $4,097.69 for the month of January. The above view shows a steamer being towed through the canal by one of the electric locomotives.

AID RUSHED TO MAROONED SHIP

Tug Jean F., Held Fast by Ice in Lake Erie, Now Thought Out of Danger

BRANTFORD, Ont., March 31.—Word has been received in Port Dover that heavy steel harbor tugs have left Ashtabula, Ohio, to assist the Jean F, a tug marooned in Lake Erie. The tugs left Ashtabula early today, while an army plane was to leave Camp Borden later to locate the imprisoned tug. As the marooned crew now has plenty of provisions and fuel, their situation is not one of danger unless the ice fields should break up with a sudden change to warm weather and heavy gales, or the ship be crushed.

Marine Notes

Vessels passing out to sea yesterday evening included Ss. Aldebaran, 8:45 o'clock; Ss. Chohkoh Maru, 9 o'clock, and Ss. Pearlmoor, 9:30 o'clock.

Bound for Vancouver, Ss. Heiyei Maru passed up at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

With 160 tons of steel for discharge, the Norway-Pacific freighter Benjamin Franklin, Capt. Jens Feragen, arrived here at 7:10 o'clock yesterday morning from European ports.

The 400 horsepower speedboat, Miss Victoria, is still moored at the Murdie Wood Engineering Co. New electric light wiring is at present being installed.

Mr. R. F. Stephens, well-known local shipbuilder, has returned to the city from Poplar Island, New Westminster, where he recently completed a car barge for the Great Northern Railway.

The Matson Navigation Company has purchased three 5,300-ton freighters from the Transmarine Corporation at Port Newark.

Pacific Milk Is Forging to the Fore

Has World-Wide Reputation—Will Have to Double Capacity of Abbotsford Plant

Evidence that British Columbia products are forging to the front is revealed in the request of the British Government for tenders from Pacific Milk to supply the British Navy, Army and Air Ports Institutes at Mediterranean and Indian ports. If this tender is accepted it means that Pacific Milk will likely be placed in every Navy, Army and Air Port Institute in the British Government service and as these institutes circle the globe, it means world-wide distribution.

By those who are acquainted with British Government methods, this request for further tenders from Pacific Milk is looked upon as an indorsement, for Pacific Milk now supplies the British Navy, Army and Air Ports Institutes at Shanghai, Hong Kong and Singapore, and is under present contract to the British Government, delivering periodically, large shipments.

Largely increased business in Peru and other foreign countries has caused the Pacific Milk Company to lay plans for doubling the capacity of the Abbotsford plant, and by April 1 the Ladner plant will be running to capacity. One feature of the increased business from Peru is that this demand has come to British Columbia in the presence of intrenched competition. Canned milk from California has long had an established market in Peru. ***

California Bound

Among the fifty passengers from Victoria embarking on the Ss. Emma Alexander for California at 9 o'clock this morning will be Miss Jessie A. Whyte, Miss Violet Turner, K. N. Douglas, Mrs. A. White, Mrs. E. Storey, Miss Helen Paget, Lawrence Ashburton, Mrs. G. Eccles, A. Hustwick, Miss Phoebe Tuck, Miss Nora Larson, Miss E. McKenzie, Miss C. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fisher and G. W. Festing.

TUG HAS TROUBLE WITH SCHOONER

Tug Arrow Fails to Tow K. V. Kruse Into Columbia River When Rope Breaks

PORTLAND, March 31.—The four-masted schooner K. V. Kruse, which tried to get into the Columbia River late yesterday after a voyage of 111 days from Adelaide, Australia, in which she ran out of provisions, was under sail this morning off Willapa Harbor. The tug Arrow tried to tow the schooner into the Columbia River, but failed to make headway. The hawser broke about 11 o'clock last night and the K. V. Kruse threw out her anchors, but they dragged. She then set sail.

A hard southwest wind prevented her from going out to sea, but she was able to proceed northward along shore. The Cape Disappointment coastguard station sent a call for the cutter Snohomish from Port Angeles and that ship was expected to reach the K. V. Kruse about 1 p.m. to tow the vessel into Astoria.

LARGE SCHOONER REPORTED SAFE

Six-Masted Helen B. Sterling Waiting for Cutter Off Marshfield, Ore.

MARSHFIELD, Ore., March 31.—The six-masted schooner Helen B. Sterling, stranded off Heceta Head, north of here, was thought to be out of danger tonight. The storm which raged off the coast has subsided and the schooner is swinging at anchor while awaiting the arrival of a coastguard cutter from Eureka. A crew from the coastguard station at Florence crossed the bar today and will stand by until a cutter arrives.

When the cutter arrives the schooner will be towed to Coos Bay or to the mouth of the Columbia River. Loss of most of its canvas in the storm caused the ship to become stranded, it was learned from signals tonight.

PROPER PAPERS MUST BE SHOWN

PILOTS MUST SEE CLEARANCE ARTICLES FROM LAST PORT OF CALL

New Order Issued by Marine Department Effective on St. Lawrence River

MONTREAL, March 31. — The sequel to the exploits of the steam yacht Vidor in Canadian waters is contained in an order to the St. Lawrence pilots of the Montreal district by W. A. Wiallard, local representative of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, and superintendent of pilots, which was issued a few days ago.

The notice is to the effect that in future, a pilot boarding a vessel in Canadian waters, must ask the captain of such vessel if his clearance papers are in order from the customs authorities at the last port of call. If the captain tells him that they are, and the pilot is suspicious, he must ask the captain to produce them. In the event of the papers not being in order, the pilot must not take the vessel over, and must go ashore and report the matter to the authorities. If the clearance papers are in order, the pilot will hoist his flag and take charge of the vessel.

The order came into force for the Quebec district last year at the end of the season, after Pilot Gendron, who had taken the steam yacht Vidor out from Montreal, was forced to leave the ship by jumping overboard. The yacht was in trouble in Montreal after crashing into the Black's Bridge, and closing traffic over the canal at that point for a few days.

She left Montreal a couple of days later in a hurry, without obtaining clearance papers from the customs authorities in Montreal, and refused to stop at Quebec to let Gendron get ashore. He jumped overboard, and was in hospital for some time suffering from exposure.

The clearance papers are the affidavits signed by the captain of a vessel before she leaves port, in which he states that he will not call at any foreign port, will proceed direct to the destination contained in the papers, and will not take any contraband or dutiable goods aboard his ship save that contained in his holds and declared before he leaves the port.

In the past, the only questions required to be asked by a pilot of a ship's captain were those pertaining to the navigation of the ship, and these were only asked in order to let the pilot know of any defects in instruments or steering gear, so that he could allow for them when he was guiding the ship along the river.

AIRPORT TO HAVE MUSEUM

Among the features of the $4,250,000 airport being planned for Buenos Aires, Argentina, is an aeronautical museum, library, weather bureau post, wireless station and other adjuncts. The museum is to contain exhibits dealing with all possible phases of aviation. The airport will cover more than 300 acres in Belgrano, about six miles from the capital. A specially built lighthouse with a powerful beacon for directing night flyers is also planned.

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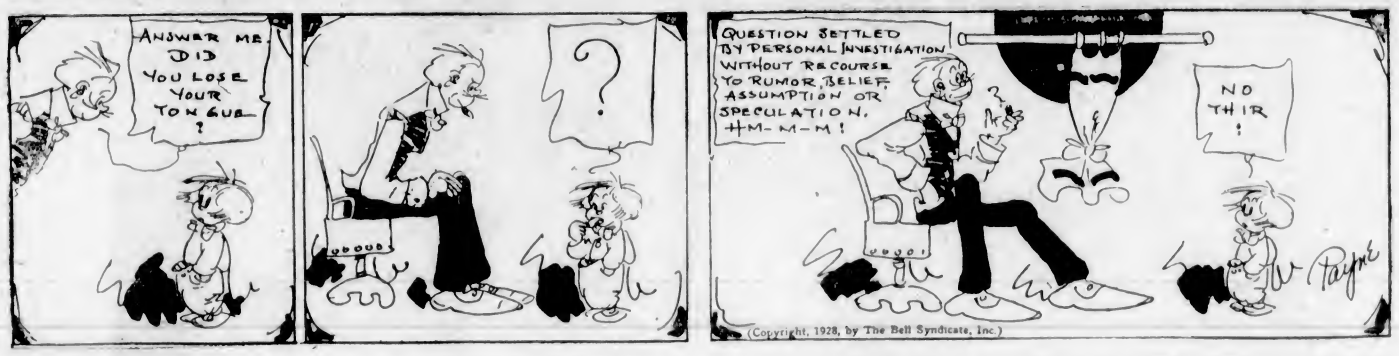

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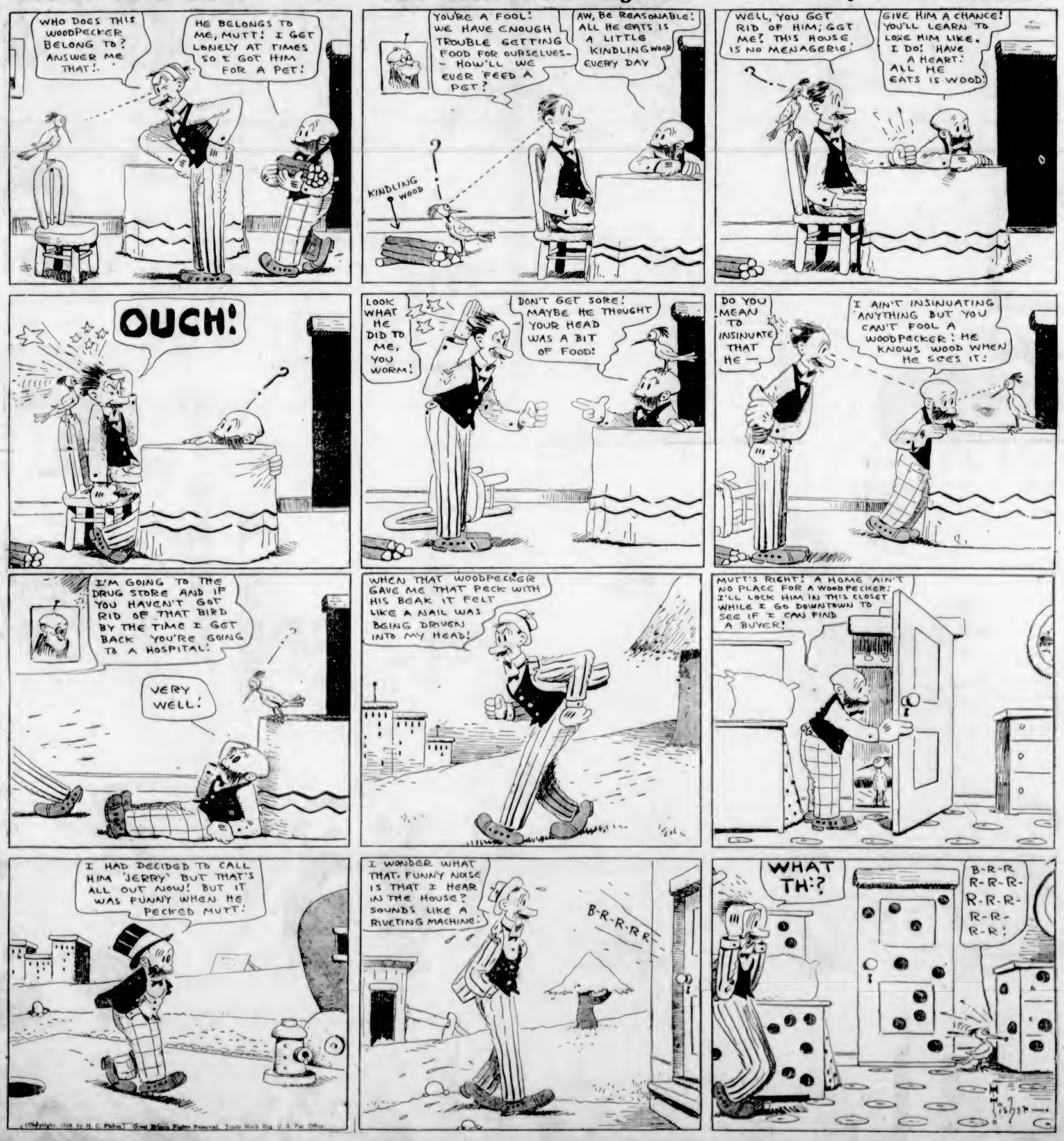

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A London Letter

Exhibition in Aid of Royal Northern Hospital Offers Opportunity to Many to View Beautiful Interior of Home of Sir Philip Sassoon—Her Majesty Receives Presidents of Queen Mary's London Needlework Guild—Shaw's Play Proves Delightful

By ELIZABETH MONTIZAMBERT

One of the most amusing things for overseas visitors is the opportunity, so often given in London, to see the interior decoration of the great London houses when they are thrown open to the public for some charity bazaar, exhibition or entertainment.

Many people, who have read in the columns of the press (that have long ago shattered the Victorian idea that a home was a place of peace and privacy), eloquent descriptions of the beauties gathered around him by that connoisseur, Sir Philip Sassoon, have welcomed the chance to see the wonderful painted mirror room, decorated for this wealthy young man by the Spanish artist, Sert, at the exhibition held this week, in aid of the Royal Northern Hospital, at 25 Park Lane.

I have never seen such an exquisite collection of early English needlework and furniture. Among the five hundred and seventy-three articles, that looked somehow as if they belonged in the gracious and dignified panelled room overlooking Hyde Park, were a pair of gloves, worn by Charles II, and the accoutrements of a seventeenth century Persian falconer, including a pink chamois glove, a curious tufted falconer's hood and bells, with a beautifully embroidered pochette. The Duke of Northumberland had lent the red velvet mitts with broad cuffs, heavily embroidered with silver lace, worn by Edward VI at his coronation. One could have spent hours over these lovely things. Some of them had an especially human interest, such as the screen worked by Queen Elizabeth; the square of flame-colored velvet, bordered with silver lace, with lace pockets to contain presents for the nurses, used by Queen Anne as a christening cloth for her numerous, and short-lived, babies; and a marvellous hanging of petit point needlework, representing the formal garden at Stoke Edith, said to have been worked by the five wives of Thomas Foley in the beginning of the eighteenth century, which still belongs to the family.

IDEAL HOME EXHIBITION

One of the features of The Daily Mail Ideal Home Exhibition is the extraordinary insistence on sunlight. The idea seems to have got into the air that it is the most important thing both for health and happiness. There are a great many stalls of "sunlight" lamps and the section devoted to houses is called "Sunbeam Town"—the houses themselves having such names as "The Suntrap," "The Sunbath," "The Solar," "Sunview," etc.

Before the "House of the Future" there was such an immensely long queue of waiting visitors that I was only able to gaze on its futuristic charms from outside. Among its original features are an outside staircase to the flat roof, glass-covered pergolas, a bathing pool for artificial sunlight and ultra-violet ray treatment, heating from electric panels in the floors, pneumatic easy chairs to be deflated and rolled up when not in use; in short, a nightmare of a house, a house to be renewed as often as a motor car, possessing almost every attraction except the one most necessary to a home, stability.

NEEDLEWORK GUILD

Her Majesty the Queen received the eighty presidents of Queen Mary's London Needlework Guild at Lady Mount Stephen's house, 17 Carlton House Terrace, on March 7, and after the formal meeting and reading of the year's reports shook hands with each president, and stayed to have tea with her hostess. The guild was first started in 1881, and Canadians have shown their interest in its work in a very practical way, as a Montreal knitting guild sends regular supplies to the Queen Mary's Maternity Home in Hampstead. At the meeting an excellent speech was made by Lady Cunliffe on behalf of the Prisoners' Aid Society, and Miss Halford, whose mother was the first secretary of the league, spoke on modern clothing. Her Majesty looked wonderfully handsome in a dress of black and gold stamped velvet, with a three-cornered velvet toque, in gold. Princess Mary, Viscountess Lascelles, on the eve of her departure for Egypt, attended, as one of the presidents. Lady Katherine Hamilton was in attendance on the Queen, and Miss Dorothy Yorke with Princess Mary.

MEMORIAL TO NURSES

Australia seems to be getting ahead of Canada in the Extension Appeal Fund for the Elizabeth Garrett Anderson Hospital for a nurses' home, as a memorial to the nurses of the Overseas Nursing Services, who died in the war. Yet Canada has the proud and sad distinction of having lost a matron, an acting matron and thirty-seven nursing sisters, a much longer list than that of any of the other Dominions.

SUFFRAGE DEMONSTRATION

What may possibly be the last suffrage meeting in England took place recently, when the Queen's Hall had a very festive appearance; the top gallery hung with laurel garlands and daffodils, and the balcony hidden with the banners of suffrage organizations all over the British Islands.

Miss Eleanor Rathbone's able speech recalled the trials through which the advocates of women's suffrage have passed. The Prime Minister was frequently interrupted with deafening applause, for he spoke with sympathy and wisdom, and those touches of humor that are like stars in the firmament of any speech.

After the reasoned eloquence of Mr. Baldwin, the speech of the evening was made by Miss Nancy Stewart Parnell, a young woman with vision, who, one sincerely hopes, will some day find herself in Parliament. As her lovely voice rang out clearly on behalf of the three million young women who, like herself, have no votes, one felt that if all women voters were as earnest, as intelligent and as farseeing as she, there would never be any need to quote Milton and say, "But the women were wanting for the occasion."

The absence, through illness, of Lady Frances Balfour was regretted. Among the other speakers were Sir Oliver Lodge and Miss Margaret Ashton.

I didn't see "Mr. Pim Passes By" on its first production at the New Theatre eight years ago, so it was easier to judge if that pleasant and charming little play had suffered by the passage of time. The verdict was in the negative, as indeed one might have expected, for Miss Tempest has no date, and she played the part, created by Irene Vanbrugh, entirely in her own original way.

Miss Stella Freeman, as the niece, played with remarkable aplomb for a seventeen-year-old actress, but should remember that kittenish ways are not generally indulged in by girls of her somewhat Amazonian type. Mr. Graham Browne successfully concealed the difficulty he must have felt in playing the unintelligent husband. For Miss Tempest I have exhausted my vocabulary. The very flick of her thimble, as she complacently unfolded those futurist curtains, was an art in itself. I am so glad I did not see Mr. Dion Boucicault as Mr. Pim, but Mr. Horace Hodges never over-acts, and give a sincere performance of the dear old dodderer whose vacillating memory nearly wrecks four lives.

At the Haymarket there is another Milne play, fresh from the mint. "The Fourth Wall" is the one through which the audience can watch a murder being committed on a retired judge by two revengeful ex-convicts who, disguised as gentlemen, have been picked up by a haphazard nephew and invited down for the week-end. This happens in the first act, the other two being filled with the finally successful attempts of Miss Nora Swinburne, as the pretty cousin and fiancee of the haphazard young man, to unravel the mystery of her uncle's supposed suicide. This original method of turning a crook play upside down is one of the best things I have seen for some time, and was very well acted.

Who but George Bernard Shaw would ever have had the audacity to write a play so long that it has to be given in three parts, and so interesting that the Court Theatre was filled on the second night when the curtain went up on the first act of "Back to Methuselah" at six o'clock.

Thank goodness everyone can read this great epic of life, with its inimitable preface, for themselves by ordering "Back to Methuselah" from their booksellers.

In the first scene, in the Garden of Eden, Adam and Eve, tormented by the idea of death and annthilation, are told the secret of life, by the serpent, in the dulcet tones of Miss Edith Evans.

In the second scene, several hundred years later, Cain, the warrior, comes back to boast and jeer at his laboring father, and Eve foretells the time when the human race shall have learned to draw from the air the wherewithal to satisfy their material needs, as a few weeks ago an inspired Russian showed a London audience he could create music from the air, without a visible instrument.

The second act voices the gospel of the brothers Barnabas, one a biologist, the other a philosopher, who vainly try to convince two political "doubting Thomases" (thinly disguised portraits of the late Lord Oxford and Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George) that civilization is rapidly approaching such a crisis that the human race will soon be faced with the choice of reconstructing their characters and lives, and developing their wills to the point where they can voluntarily live three hundred years, or going down in the maelstrom of civilization, as we know it.

Miss Gwen Ffrangcon-Davies gave an intelligent performance as Eve, and Miss Evans' golden voice was as subtle as she declared herself to be. Sir Harry Jackson cannot be sufficiently congratulated for his enterprise in producing this remarkable play, and the crowded audience at the Court Theatre are looking forward to next week, when the third and fourth parts will be presented.

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"Aftermath"

By MRS. J. O. ARNOLD

Mrs. Denison sent for Norma because she herself wanted to escape and find what had become of her husband. He had been absent for half an hour or more, and this in the midst of his duties as host was becoming embarrassing. It was unlike him. But, of late, alas! so much that he did was unlike what he would have done before the loss of his son shook the delicate balance of his mental powers. This garden party had been an experiment planned by his wife in the hope that a return to their former way of life, meeting old friends and getting away from themselves, might assist to restore what was lost. They had been for long enough out of touch with lifelong friends, and had fallen into narrow grooves of self-centred interest. This was a first effort to return to what had been. The social side of life must no longer be neglected.

"You did not see my husband anywhere in the lower garden, did you, my dear?" she said, when Mrs. Trayle joined her.

Norma assured her that she had not, and suggested that Colonel Denison might have gone into his study for a few minutes' quiet. The slight strain of the afternoon might have tired him.

"A few minutes! I have seen nothing of him for fully half an hour. I hope it has not been too much for him. Will you go and talk to Lady Woodhead, whilst I go into the house and see if he is all right? And tell the maids that more ices are wanted."

With a happy assurance that everything would be capably and promptly seen to, Mrs. Denison went in search of her husband. Perhaps he had fallen asleep; he was so easily tired nowadays.

He was not in his study, nor did she discover him in any of the lower rooms. She mounted the staircase, but his bedroom yielded a blank. Nor did she find him in the one likely place left—a broad seat beneath an oriel window in an unexpected nook at the end of the corridor, whence a lovely view of park land and distant hills was to be seen. The corner in which he sometimes sat, gazing out upon the fair prospect that embraced his heritage, was empty.

Mrs. Denison felt nonplussed. She returned to the head of the staircase and remained standing there, undecided what to do. It was an extraordinary thing to have happened—in the middle of their garden party. She was beginning to grow really anxious.

As she stood there in perplexity, an unaccustomed sound fell on her ears. It was a subdued, rhythmic beating, too gentle for knocking, too loud to be described as tapping. It came from Hilary's former nursery.

Then she knew what it was—the rocking of the old chair in which Nanny had so often soothed the baby Hilary to sleep. She had almost forgotten that Mrs. Trayle's little boy was in the house; evidently the young housemaid who was acting as nurse, was using this means of keeping him quiet.

The door was partly open. Mrs. Denison pushed it wider and looked in.

No maidservant was to be seen. But in the old chair, gently rocking it backwards and forwards, Mrs. Trayle's child in his arms, sat her husband. Bunny had fallen asleep. His head rested on Colonel Denison's shoulder, one dimpled hand was on his breast, covered by the thin, blue-veined, nervous hand of the old soldier, who took no notice when his wife came forward noiselessly into the room. As she drew closer she saw that he was weeping soundlessly, helplessly.

Her heart seemed to stand still; for a moment her brain ceased to function, overwhelmed by yearning love and pity. She crept nearer, and with an effort of the will, made possible by years of self-control, held back the tears that filled her own eyes.

Colonel Denison himself broke the silence.

"He has come back," he whispered. "Hilary—don't you see, Mary?" Low as his voice was, it thrilled with joy.

At his words scales fell from her eyes, and she saw that to which for two long years she had been blind.

The sleeping child in his arms satisfied all his longings—filled for him the void that his son's death had created. With the child's golden curls brushing his cheek, the chubby hand fast in his, the dear inert little body folded in his arms, he renewed once more the ecstasy of fatherhood.

His wife, watching him, hearing him, felt herself struck as by the hand of judgment. What had she done? Was this her work? How far was she responsible for the loneliness, the desolation, that had fallen upon her husband? Had she not put every obstacle in the way of her son's mating—kept his love for herself? Recollection came to her of the skillful manner—as she then regarded it—in which she had interfered to prevent her son from becoming engaged to a girl in every way suited to be his wife. She had stepped in between the young couple—separated them—and after that Hilary had withdrawn himself from the society of women, devoting himself heart and soul to his profession. She knew the charge to be true—and stood there self-condemned. She had the key now to the deep places of her husband's sorrow—the secret cause of his failing powers.

She could not speak—what words could undo now her actions in the past? It was too late. The disaster was irretrievable.

"Do you doubt what I say, Mary?" he demanded irascibly, vexed by her silence. "If you do, perhaps you will be convinced when you look in his eyes——"

He ceased rocking as he spoke, and Bunny instantly awoke. As though he knew what was wanted of him, he opened wide, sleepy eyes and gazed up at Mrs. Denison.

She in her turn experienced a thrill. For across one iris of violet blue she saw a streak of velvet brown, unusual and yet a curious point of attraction, like the crooked smile that can charm or the faint cast that lends so some eyes an unexpected fascination. Mrs. Denison could not check the quick indrawing of the breath.

"Perhaps you will believe me now," her husband said. "We have our son again, Mary. We have our boy once more. He must never leave us again—never, my dear!"

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